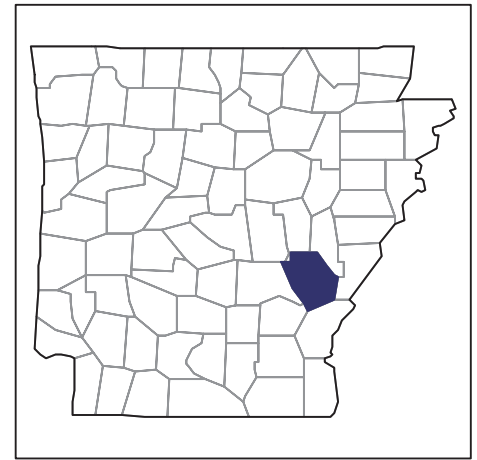


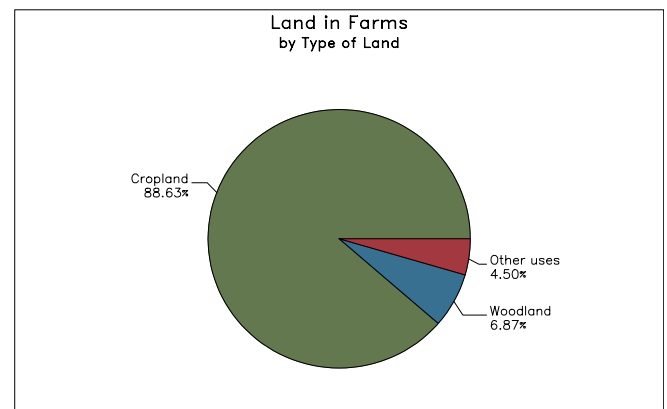
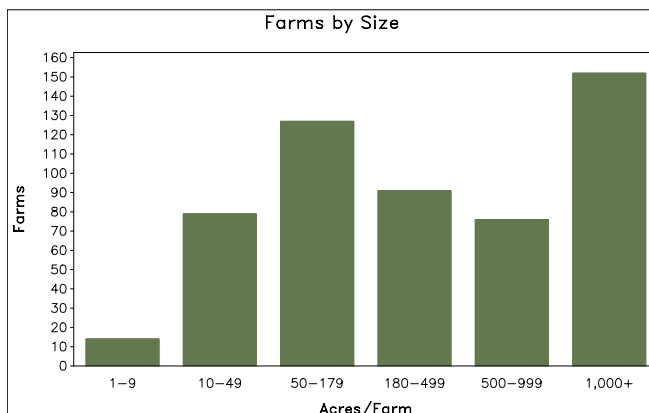
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Arkansas County Arkansas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	539	502	+ 7
Land in Farms	405,103 acres	389,894 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	752 acres	777 acres	- 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$180,051,000	\$95,798,000	+ 88
Crop Sales \$179,522,000 (100 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$529,000 (0 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$334,046	\$190,833	+ 75
Government Payments	\$14,310,000	\$14,404,000	- 1
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$31,176	\$41,871	- 26



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County Profile

Arkansas County – Arkansas

Ranked items among the 75 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	180,051	7	75	399	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	179,522	3	75	104	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	529	72	75	2,972	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	179,136	1	59	28	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	72	74	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	70	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	29	29	1,702	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	67	75	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	3	68	75	2,833	3,020
Cattle and calves	382	69	75	2,839	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	45	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	19	38	71	1,981	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	67	72	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	22	61	71	2,634	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	31	41	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	17	67	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	205,372	1	47	11	2,039
Rice	119,918	1	36	2	135
Wheat for grain, all	89,630	1	49	190	2,481
Corn for grain	2,502	34	55	1,632	2,634
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,114	70	75	2,721	3,060
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,912	66	75	2,791	3,060
Colonies of bees	(D)	10	70	(D)	2,640
Layers	337	63	75	2,411	3,024
Horses and ponies	270	65	75	2,731	3,066
Hogs and pigs	(D)	38	74	(D)	2,958

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	175	Farming	329
\$1,000 to \$2,499	14	Other	210
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	Male	490
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30	Female	49
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	11	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	52	Black or African American	34
\$250,000 to \$499,999	64	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	132	White	779
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	126,887	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	235,413	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	70,813		
Average per farm (\$)	131,378		

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.