

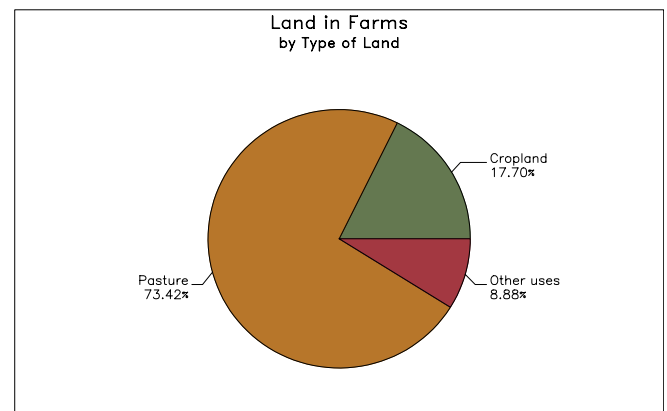
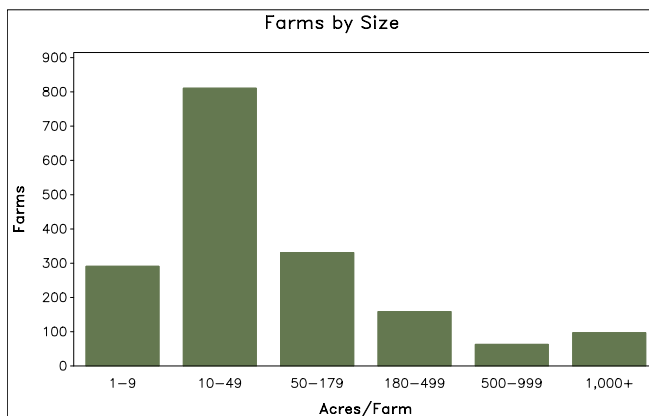
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Tehama County California



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,752	1,573	+ 11
<b>Land in Farms</b>	532,206 acres	862,440 acres	- 38
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	304 acres	548 acres	- 45
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$142,958,000	\$110,138,000	+ 30
Crop Sales \$104,379,000 (73 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$38,579,000 (27 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$81,597	\$70,018	+ 17
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,065,000	\$1,391,000	- 23
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$8,728	\$8,531	+ 2



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#### Ranked items among the 58 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	142,958	32	58	576	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	104,379	34	58	346	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	38,579	20	57	978	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,714	24	48	1,692	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	13	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	40	55	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	96,038	24	56	40	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	66	52	56	2,155	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	4,944	24	56	328	3,054
Poultry and eggs	56	43	56	1,628	3,020
Cattle and calves	20,953	18	57	641	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	10,140	22	47	485	2,493
Hogs and pigs	57	22	54	1,546	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	443	26	56	282	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,990	6	55	48	3,024
Aquaculture	3,732	9	46	76	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	208	31	55	678	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,552	20	57	1,163	3,060
Walnuts, English	15,119	6	47	6	540
Plums and prunes	7,767	6	49	6	1,319
Almonds	7,271	14	44	14	157
Olives	6,160	3	45	3	65
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	58,444	17	57	448	3,060
Colonies of bees	10,104	19	53	63	2,640
Goats, all	5,550	9	56	69	3,023
Sheep and lambs	5,457	20	56	189	2,891
Horses and ponies	4,691	15	57	90	3,066

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	482	Farming	877
\$1,000 to \$2,499	130	Other	875
\$2,500 to \$4,999	176		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	194	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	204	Male	1,392
\$20,000 to \$24,999	65	Female	360
\$25,000 to \$39,999	122		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	57	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	117		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	100	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	47	American Indian or Alaska Native	60
\$500,000 or more	58	Asian	19
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	125,090	Black or African American	6
Average per farm (\$)	71,398	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12
		White	2,628
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	25,791	More than one race	31
Average per farm (\$)	14,721	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	253

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.