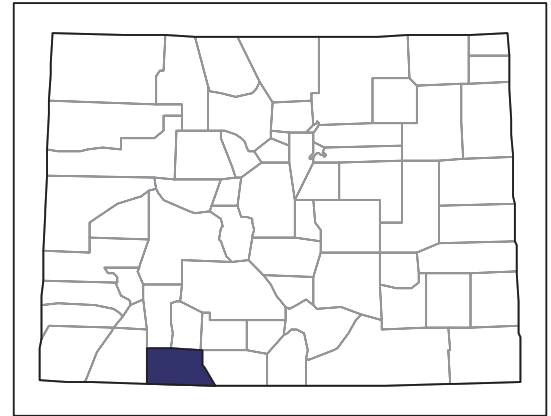


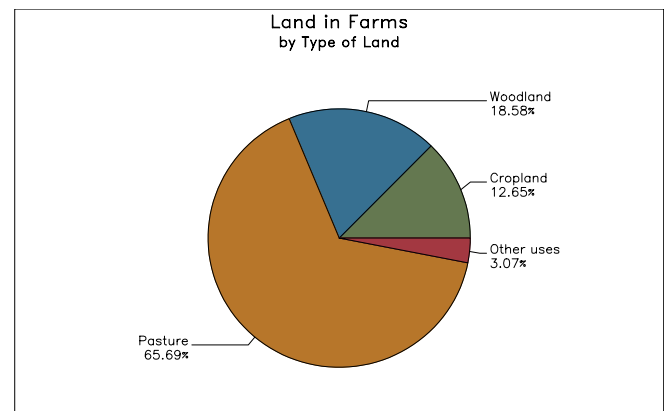
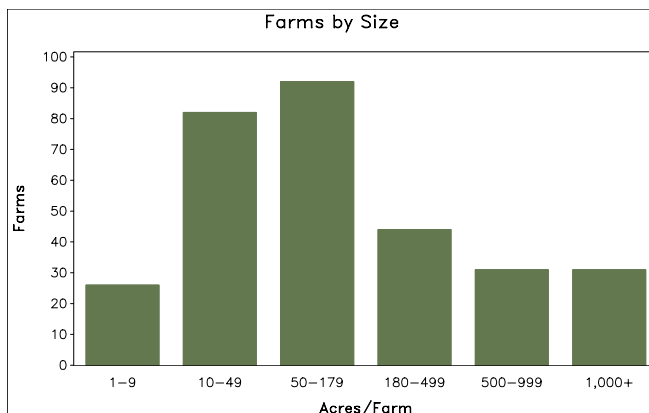
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Archuleta County Colorado



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	306	258	+ 19
<b>Land in Farms</b>	149,584 acres	103,075 acres	+ 45
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	489 acres	400 acres	+ 22
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$7,389,000	\$4,638,000	+ 59
Crop Sales \$721,000 (10 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$6,668,000 (90 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$24,146	\$17,979	+ 34
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$173,000	\$116,000	+ 49
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,411	\$3,863	+ 66



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#### Ranked items among the 64 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	7,389	49	63	2,722	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	721	50	62	2,868	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,668	42	63	2,293	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	45	50	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	28	49	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	94	11	24	1,430	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	49	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	4	15	31	1,354	1,710
Other crops and hay	522	48	62	2,123	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	30	60	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	6,157	38	62	1,571	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	48	50	2,459	2,493
Hogs and pigs	4	47	56	2,560	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	45	38	58	1,738	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	144	34	62	1,400	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	302	17	53	535	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,352	50	63	2,102	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	139	46	48	2,141	2,481
Short-rotation woody crops	106	10	29	343	1,134
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	27	48	(D)	2,794
Apples	15	11	22	847	2,144
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	6,250	48	63	2,330	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,417	27	63	925	3,066
Sheep and lambs	662	30	57	1,236	2,891
Layers	533	30	59	2,121	3,024
Goats, all	306	36	59	1,920	3,023

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	132	Farming	110
\$1,000 to \$2,499	43	Other	196
\$2,500 to \$4,999	25	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	Male	259
\$10,000 to \$19,999	36	Female	47
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	484
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,272	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	30,300	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	77
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-927		
Average per farm (\$)	-3,028		

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.