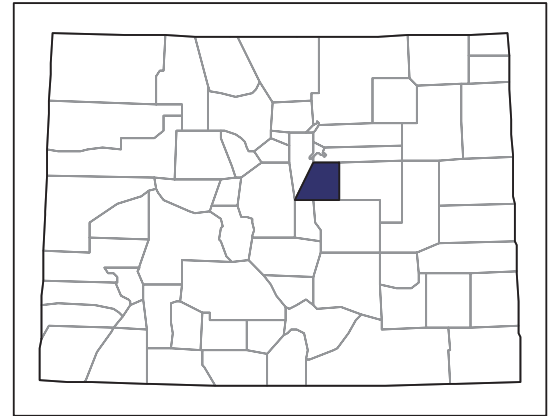


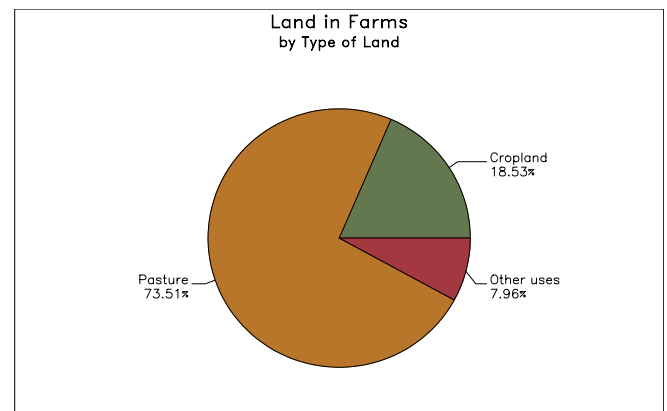
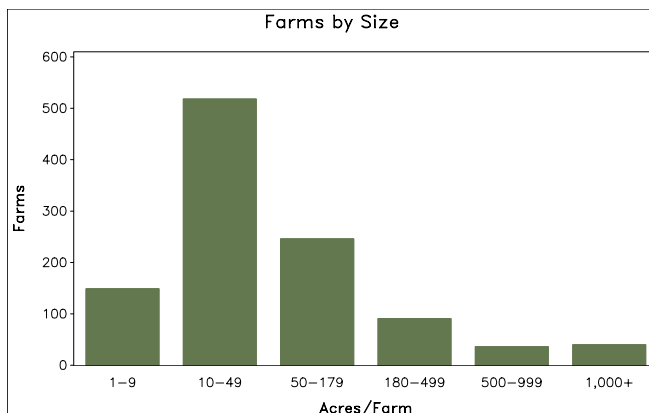
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Douglas County Colorado



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,080	903	+ 20
Land in Farms	189,210 acres	199,491 acres	- 5
Average Size of Farm	175 acres	221 acres	- 21
Market Value of Products Sold	\$15,941,000	\$11,585,000	+ 38
Crop Sales \$7,598,000 (48 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,343,000 (52 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$14,760	\$12,829	+ 15
Government Payments	\$163,000	\$84,000	+ 94
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,786	\$1,432	+ 164



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Douglas County – Colorado

Ranked items among the 64 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	15,941	40	63	2,388	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,598	34	62	2,022	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,343	38	63	2,151	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	411	36	50	2,193	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	44	32	49	2,165	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	16	17	24	2,078	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5,460	10	49	447	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	30	9	31	757	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,636	36	62	1,048	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	47	62	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	45	50	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	65	23	56	1,509	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	92	32	58	1,174	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,438	1	62	40	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	1,157	4	53	173	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,421	35	63	1,181	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	1,658	34	48	1,426	2,481
Corn for grain	338	27	38	2,125	2,634
Nursery stock	221	8	35	398	2,130
Proso millet	(D)	17	19	(D)	170
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	6,222	49	63	2,334	3,060
Horses and ponies	5,323	5	63	64	3,066
Layers	1,652	14	59	1,214	3,024
Alpacas	766	4	41	17	1,496
Goats, all	707	24	59	1,082	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	498	Farming	352
\$1,000 to \$2,499	157	Other	728
\$2,500 to \$4,999	118	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	119	Male	754
\$10,000 to \$19,999	64	Female	326
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	35	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	17	American Indian or Alaska Native	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	Asian	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	Black or African American	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	1,707
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	26,150	More than one race	23
Average per farm (\$)	24,213	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	40
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-5,667		
Average per farm (\$)	-5,247		

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.