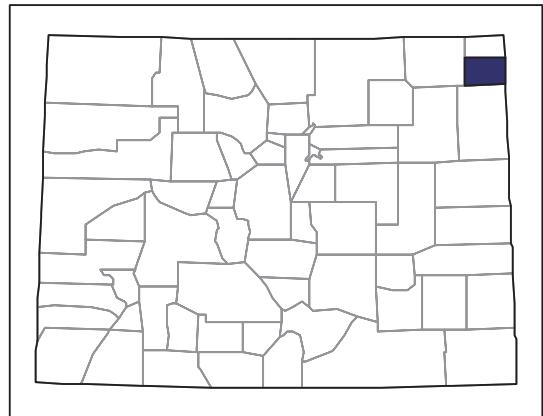


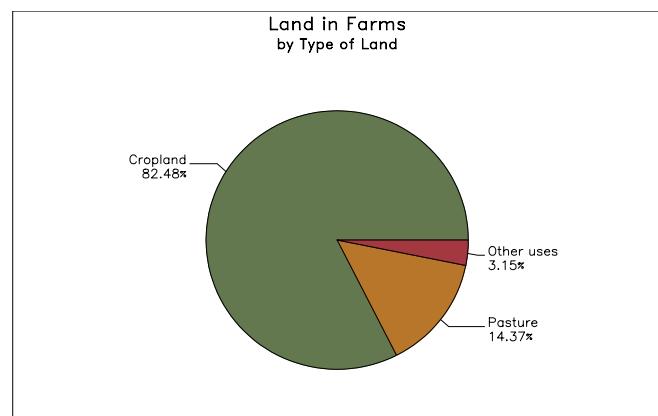
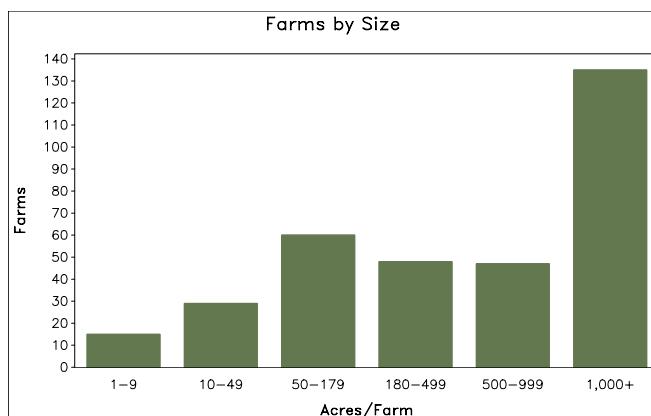
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County Profile

Phillips County Colorado



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	334	334	0
Land in Farms	431,154 acres	470,837 acres	- 8
Average Size of Farm	1,291 acres	1,410 acres	- 8
 Market Value of Products Sold	 \$142,983,000	 \$89,282,000	 + 60
Crop Sales \$74,174,000 (52 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$68,809,000 (48 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$428,092	\$267,312	+ 60
 Government Payments	 \$5,613,000	 \$5,157,000	 + 9
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$21,342	\$19,460	+ 10



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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	142,983	8	63	575	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	74,174	10	62	562	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	68,809	10	63	597	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	70,191	4	50	403	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	20	49	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	24	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	45	49	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	26	62	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	8	41	60	2,566	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	10	62	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	10	50	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	56	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	11	57	62	2,821	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	53	53	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	101,888	12	48	164	2,481
Corn for grain	94,693	3	38	303	2,634
Proso millet	23,871	4	19	6	170
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,336	51	63	2,104	3,060
Sugarbeets for sugar	3,135	4	12	60	130
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	55	(D)	2,958
Cattle and calves	34,819	18	63	912	3,060
Sheep and lambs	(D)	21	57	(D)	2,891
Layers	241	48	59	2,575	3,024
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	150	13	44	1,545	2,476

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	92	Farming	183
\$1,000 to \$2,499	12	Other	151
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	Male	290
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12	Female	44
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	12	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	47	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	40	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	64	White	531
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	110,765	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	331,633	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	41,264		
Average per farm (\$)	123,545		

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(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.