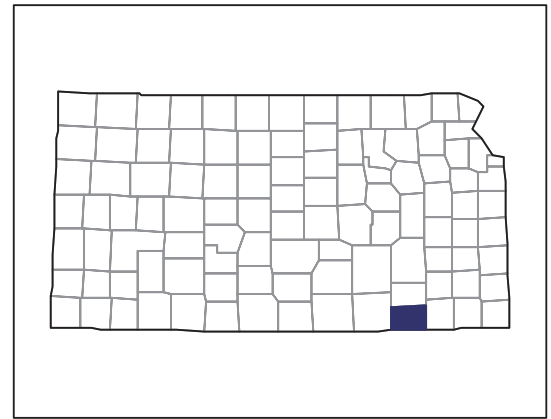


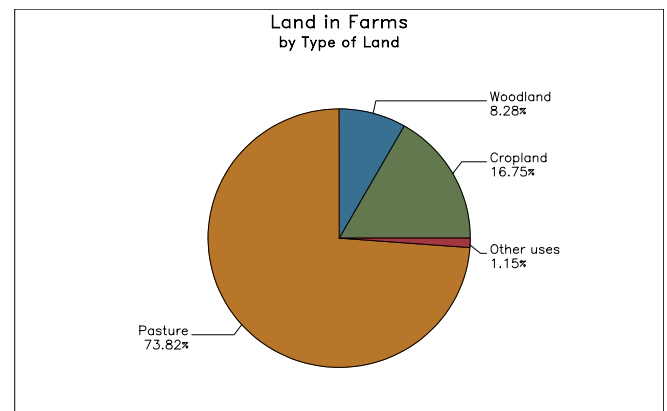
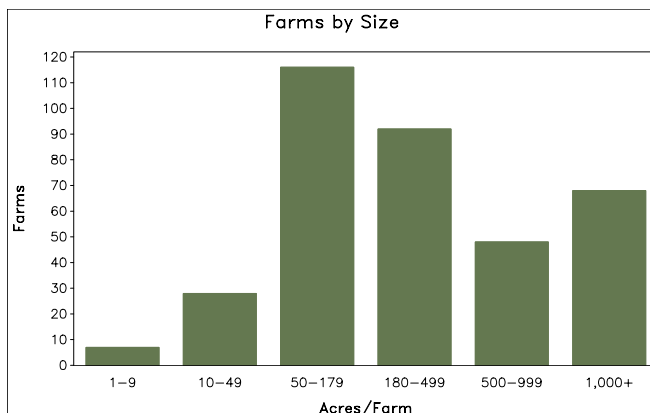
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Chautauqua County Kansas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	359	371	- 3
Land in Farms	308,232 acres	390,158 acres	- 21
Average Size of Farm	859 acres	1,052 acres	- 18
Market Value of Products Sold	\$27,529,000	\$30,404,000	- 9
Crop Sales \$4,971,000 (18 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$22,558,000 (82 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$76,683	\$81,950	- 6
Government Payments	\$425,000	\$630,000	- 33
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,335	\$3,963	+ 9



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Chautauqua County – Kansas

Ranked items among the 105 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	27,529	103	105	2,047	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,971	103	105	2,245	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	22,558	81	105	1,433	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,217	105	105	1,932	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	19	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	72	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	8	56	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	9	74	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	29	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	16	56	105	2,257	3,020
Cattle and calves	22,172	71	105	604	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	79	98	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	112	30	103	1,018	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	54	42	104	2,150	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	17	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	21,620	58	105	986	3,060
Soybeans for beans	2,125	88	103	1,399	2,039
Corn for grain	1,926	99	105	1,693	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	104	105	1,449	2,481
Pecans, all	(D)	7	34	(D)	1,315
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	39,559	67	105	792	3,060
Quail	(D)	12	44	(D)	1,386
Horses and ponies	973	32	105	1,422	3,066
Goats, all	940	16	103	800	3,023
Sheep and lambs	849	25	99	1,036	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	97	Farming	185
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30	Other	174
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	35	Male	315
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45	Female	44
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	23	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	American Indian or Alaska Native	14
\$50,000 to \$99,999	31	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	31	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	11	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	12	White	522
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	25,468	More than one race	6
Average per farm (\$)	70,942	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,916		
Average per farm (\$)	10,909		

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.