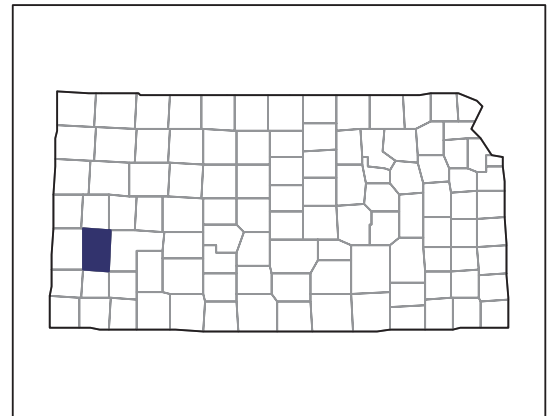


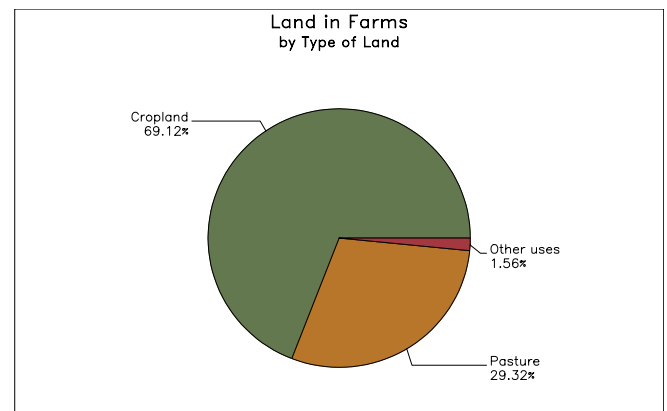
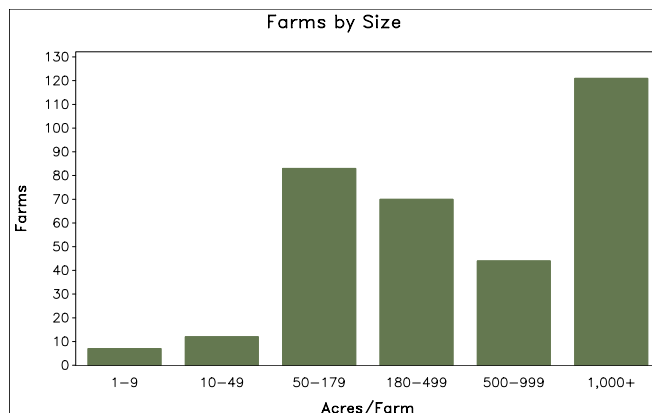
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Kearny County Kansas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	337	347	- 3
Land in Farms	519,424 acres	557,734 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	1,541 acres	1,607 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$221,068,000	\$180,695,000	+ 22
Crop Sales \$66,321,000 (30 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$154,747,000 (70 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$655,989	\$520,733	+ 26
Government Payments	\$5,908,000	\$4,662,000	+ 27
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$20,442	\$17,725	+ 15



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Kearny 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	221,068	15	105	277	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	66,321	23	105	650	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	154,747	15	105	195	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	49,721	38	105	589	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	19	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	2	72	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	56	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	74	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	29	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	2	105	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	7	79	105	2,601	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	14	105	58	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	8	98	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	103	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	17	80	104	2,716	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	17	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	94,725	44	105	175	2,481
Corn for grain	36,013	39	105	708	2,634
Sorghum for grain	28,140	50	104	86	1,158
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	26,697	47	105	793	3,060
Corn for silage	2,138	28	102	617	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	81,235	17	105	221	3,060
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,958
Sheep and lambs	(D)	22	99	(D)	2,891
Goats, all	(D)	(D)	103	(D)	3,023
Horses and ponies	395	71	105	2,473	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	147	Farming	183
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	Other	154
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4	Male	270
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6	Female	67
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	35	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	22	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	54	White	466
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	192,005	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	569,749	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	39,639		
Average per farm (\$)	117,622		

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.