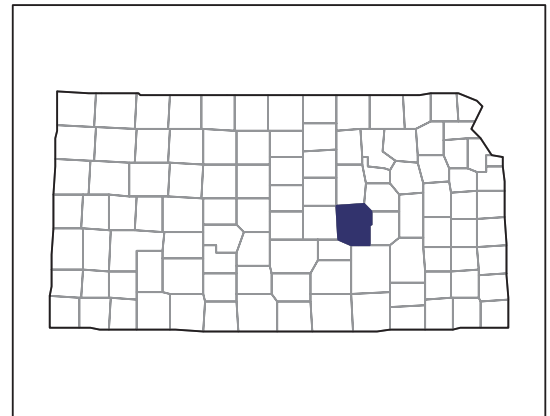


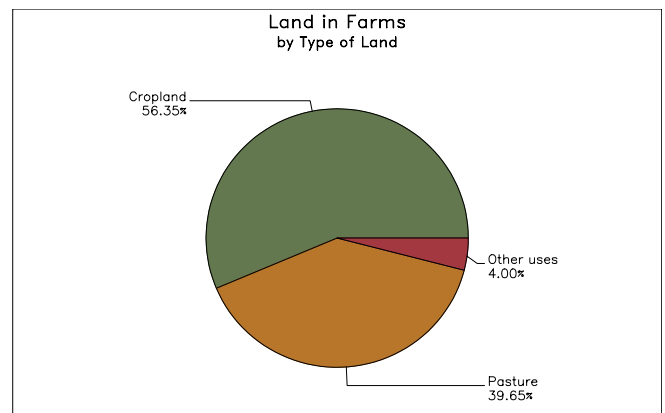
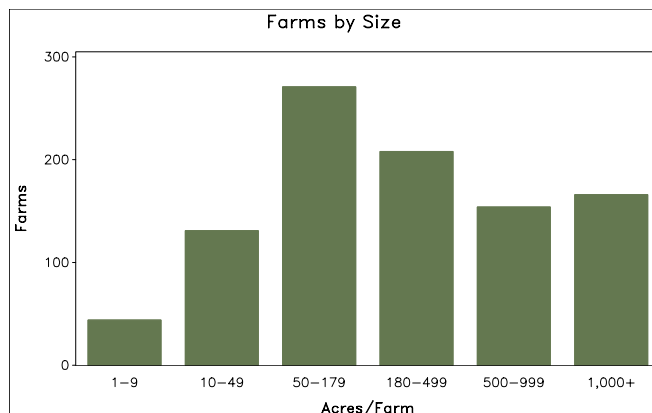
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## County Profile

### Marion County Kansas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	974	996	- 2
<b>Land in Farms</b>	599,022 acres	588,427 acres	+ 2
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	615 acres	591 acres	+ 4
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$111,206,000	\$81,291,000	+ 37
Crop Sales \$43,687,000 (39 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$67,519,000 (61 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$114,174	\$81,618	+ 40
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,950,000	\$3,603,000	+ 37
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,735	\$5,214	+ 29



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#### Ranked items among the 105 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	111,206	39	105	791	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	43,687	49	105	956	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	67,519	38	105	607	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	39,302	55	105	703	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	14	19	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	50	56	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	98	45	74	2,046	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	18	29	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	4,007	12	105	416	3,054
Poultry and eggs	135	23	105	1,346	3,020
Cattle and calves	55,997	37	105	203	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	6,716	15	98	618	2,493
Hogs and pigs	4,212	25	105	568	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	334	8	103	388	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	25	104	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	10	17	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	1	79	94	2,544	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	132,921	18	105	107	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	57,220	4	105	195	3,060
Sorghum for grain	48,313	18	104	29	1,158
Soybeans for beans	45,487	22	103	547	2,039
Corn for grain	18,637	64	105	952	2,634
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	77,076	20	105	245	3,060
Hogs and pigs	15,692	25	105	583	2,958
Layers	3,849	4	105	854	3,024
Sheep and lambs	3,162	6	99	333	2,891
Horses and ponies	841	36	105	1,611	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	216	Farming	516
\$1,000 to \$2,499	59	Other	458
\$2,500 to \$4,999	59	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	71	Male	899
\$10,000 to \$19,999	105	Female	75
\$20,000 to \$24,999	27	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	62	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	31	American Indian or Alaska Native	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	108	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	118	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	74	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	44	White	1,335
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	96,896	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	99,482	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,461		
Average per farm (\$)	31,274		

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.