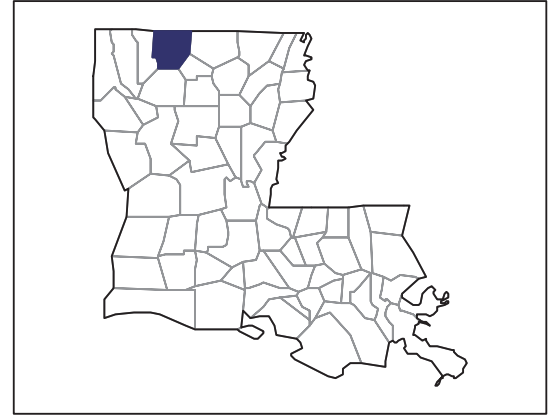


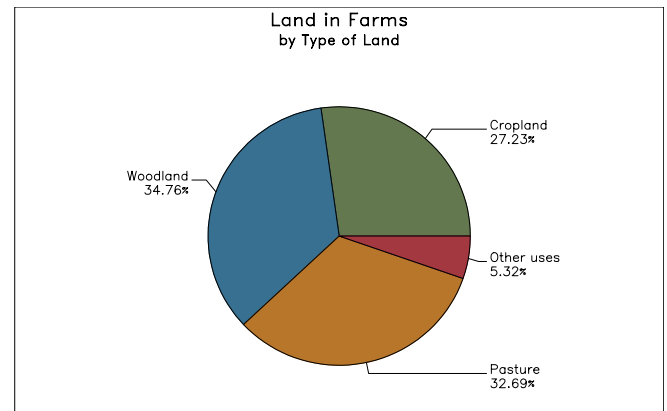
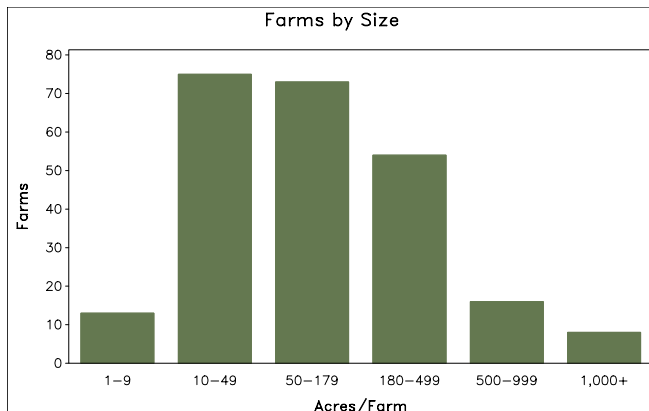
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## Parish Profile

### Claiborne Parish Louisiana



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	239	275	- 13
<b>Land in Farms</b>	48,582 acres	55,593 acres	- 13
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	203 acres	202 acres	0
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$76,635,000	\$51,989,000	+ 47
Crop Sales \$2,261,000 (3 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$74,374,000 (97 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$320,650	\$189,051	+ 70
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$109,000	\$301,000	- 64
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,458	\$4,708	+ 16



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### Claiborne Parish – Louisiana

#### Ranked items among the 64 state parishes 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	76,635	11	64	1,148	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,261	49	63	2,544	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	74,374	4	64	555	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	50	55	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	303	19	61	1,306	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	2	35	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	830	23	63	1,732	3,054
Poultry and eggs	71,535	4	60	143	3,020
Cattle and calves	2,287	32	63	2,212	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	375	11	34	1,713	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	40	58	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	11	27	57	2,574	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	158	32	61	1,311	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	47	52	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,507	25	62	1,978	3,060
Short-rotation woody crops	500	8	42	89	1,134
Vegetables harvested for sale	86	23	61	1,413	2,794
Watermelons	68	6	43	267	1,898
Corn for grain	(D)	39	43	(D)	2,634
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,958,310	4	40	108	2,476
Layers	70,804	8	61	444	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	4	47	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	8,850	33	63	2,092	3,060
Horses and ponies	689	34	63	1,856	3,066

#### Other Parish Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	64	Farming	112
\$1,000 to \$2,499	21	Other	127
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	Male	219
\$10,000 to \$19,999	36	Female	20
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7	Black or African American	23
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	39	White	310
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	45,712	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	191,262	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	32,199		
Average per farm (\$)	134,722		

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.