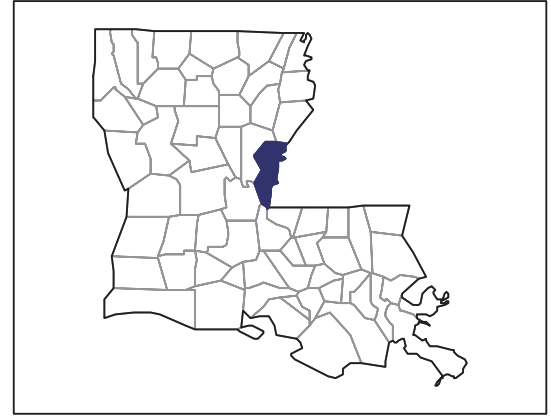


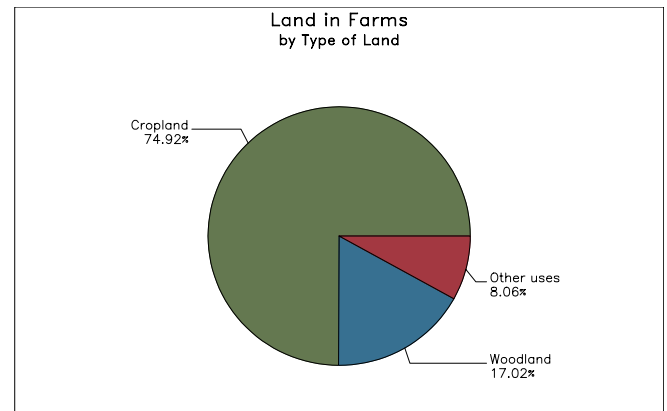
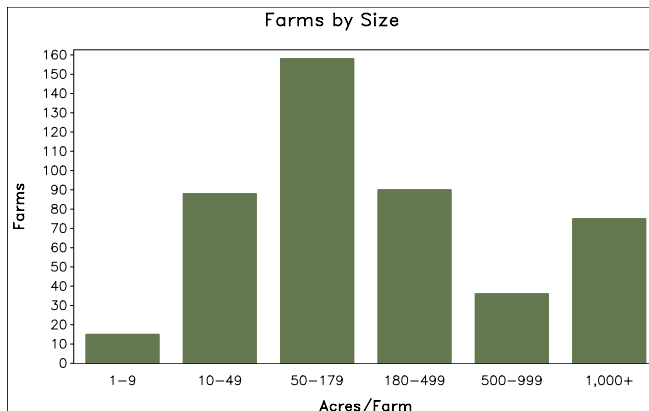
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Parish Profile

Concordia Parish Louisiana



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	462	336	+ 38
Land in Farms	210,534 acres	211,669 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	456 acres	630 acres	- 28
Market Value of Products Sold	\$49,983,000	\$29,280,000	+ 71
Crop Sales \$47,468,000 (95 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,515,000 (5 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$108,188	\$87,143	+ 24
Government Payments	\$6,772,000	\$4,666,000	+ 45
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$18,106	\$23,563	- 23



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Parish Profile

Concordia Parish – Louisiana

Ranked items among the 64 state parishes 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	49,983	22	64	1,565	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	47,468	16	63	890	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,515	47	64	2,721	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	37,467	12	55	722	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	9,691	7	26	127	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	50	61	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	47	39	61	1,729	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	51	55	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	23	22	35	862	1,710
Other crops and hay	205	47	63	2,664	3,054
Poultry and eggs	4	50	60	2,796	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,335	43	63	2,514	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	34	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	47	58	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	10	29	57	2,592	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	45	48	61	2,272	3,024
Aquaculture	1,119	17	52	193	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	51	53	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Sorghum for grain	35,548	3	32	58	1,158
Corn for grain	35,347	7	43	718	2,634
Soybeans for beans	32,036	7	45	670	2,039
Cotton, all	18,817	7	26	144	627
Wheat for grain, all	5,989	10	37	917	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	4,463	50	63	2,516	3,060
Horses and ponies	305	52	63	2,673	3,066
Goats, all	269	32	59	2,019	3,023
Layers	96	57	61	2,859	3,024
Sheep and lambs	66	25	50	2,475	2,891

Other Parish Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	236	Farming	181
\$1,000 to \$2,499	24	Other	281
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	21	Male	364
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Female	98
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	35	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	32	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	43,574	Black or African American	21
Average per farm (\$)	94,317	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	617
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	17,019	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	36,838	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1

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.