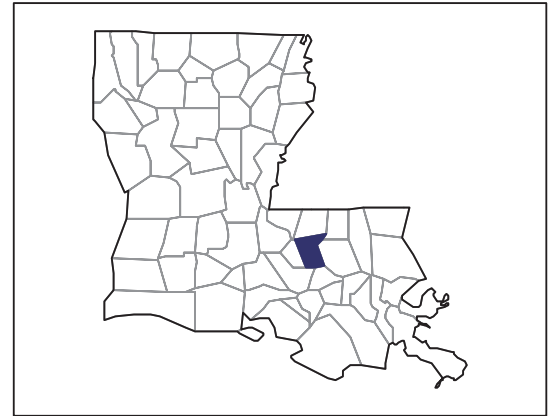


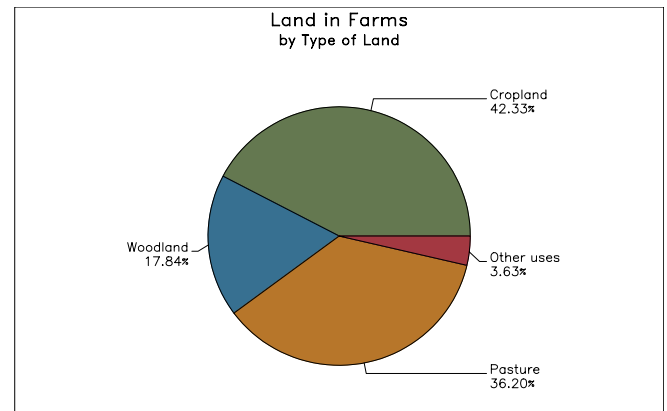
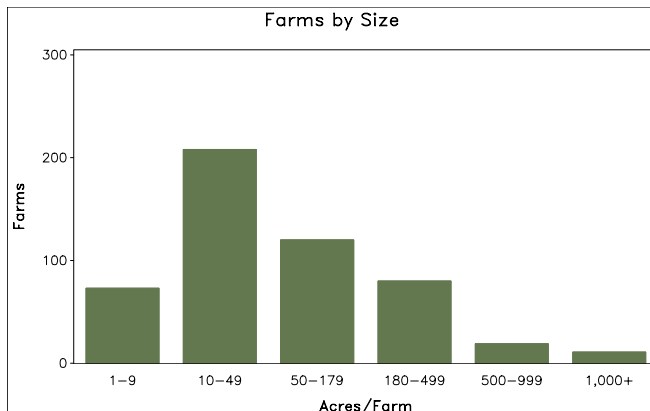
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## Parish Profile

### East Baton Rouge Parish Louisiana



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	511	489	+ 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	72,165 acres	61,406 acres	+ 18
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	141 acres	126 acres	+ 12
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$10,733,000	\$11,296,000	- 5
Crop Sales \$3,000,000 (28 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$7,733,000 (72 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$21,004	\$23,101	- 9
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$179,000	\$151,000	+ 19
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,739	\$2,652	+ 41



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### East Baton Rouge 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	10,733	49	64	2,576	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,000	47	63	2,453	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	7,733	30	64	2,204	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	354	39	55	2,223	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	428	14	61	1,132	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	231	20	61	1,020	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,295	12	55	987	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	133	8	35	340	1,710
Other crops and hay	559	31	63	2,067	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	16	60	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,745	20	63	1,739	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,163	5	34	1,294	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	47	5	57	1,710	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,304	3	61	155	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	52	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	18	17	53	1,826	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	12,348	12	62	1,508	3,060
Soybeans for beans	691	37	45	1,616	2,039
Corn for grain	387	28	43	2,105	2,634
Short-rotation woody crops	212	20	42	196	1,134
Pecans, all	155	21	59	364	1,315
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	14,523	25	63	1,688	3,060
Ducks	(D)	1	55	46	2,733
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,245	14	40	688	2,476
Layers	3,020	12	61	941	3,024
Horses and ponies	1,703	11	63	733	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	156	Farming	190
\$1,000 to \$2,499	64	Other	321
\$2,500 to \$4,999	78	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	69	Male	437
\$10,000 to \$19,999	41	Female	74
\$20,000 to \$24,999	26	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18	Black or African American	126
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4
\$500,000 or more	2	White	598
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,405	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	22,318	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	246		
Average per farm (\$)	481		

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.