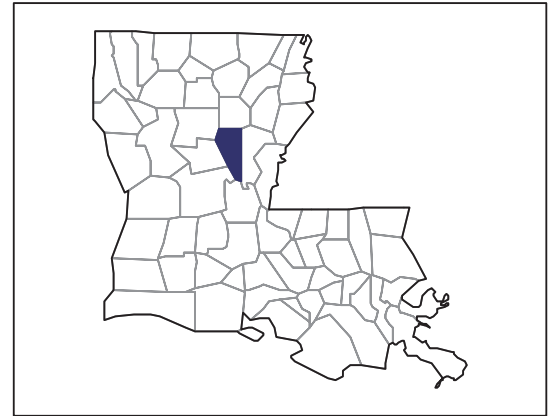


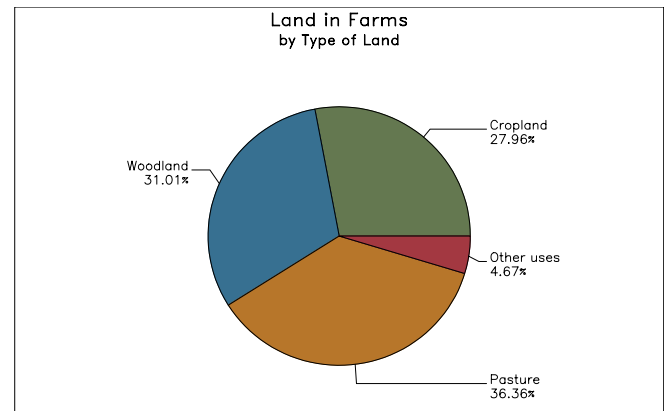
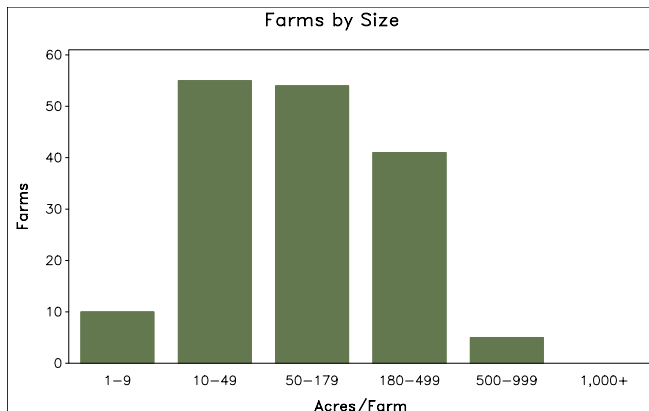
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## Parish Profile

### La Salle Parish Louisiana



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	165	161	+ 2
<b>Land in Farms</b>	20,301 acres	16,940 acres	+ 20
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	123 acres	105 acres	+ 17
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	(D)	\$1,022,000	
Crop Sales (D)			
Livestock Sales \$1,339,000			
Average Per Farm	(D)	\$6,345	
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$141,000	\$37,000	+ 281
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,044	\$2,034	+ 148



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### La Salle 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	(D)	63	64	(D)	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	62	63	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,339	55	64	2,857	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	48	55	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	10	53	61	2,511	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	55	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	15	35	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	58	56	63	2,915	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	49	63	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	28	34	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	8	33	58	2,337	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	2	50	57	2,909	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	28	54	61	2,518	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	24	52	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	44	53	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,707	46	62	2,625	3,060
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	42	(D)	1,134
Soybeans for beans	(D)	42	45	(D)	2,039
Pecans, all	(D)	44	59	(D)	1,315
Vegetables harvested for sale	5	55	61	2,533	2,794
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	4,637	49	63	2,496	3,060
Horses and ponies	348	51	63	2,582	3,066
Hogs and pigs	220	16	59	1,780	2,958
Goats, all	190	39	59	2,291	3,023
Ducks	118	21	55	1,001	2,733

#### Other Parish Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	44	Farming	63
\$1,000 to \$2,499	24	Other	102
\$2,500 to \$4,999	39	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	Male	151
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Female	14
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-	Black or African American	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	239
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	(D)	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	(D)	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	60		
Average per farm (\$)	366		

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.