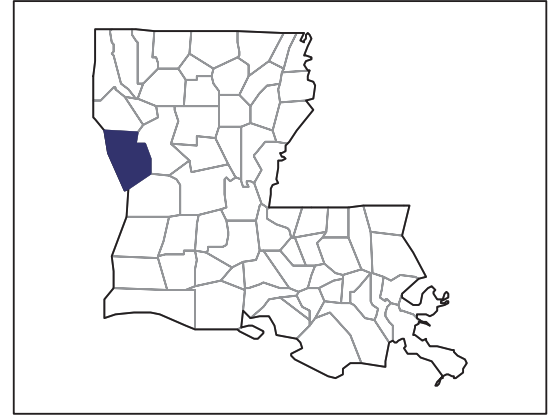


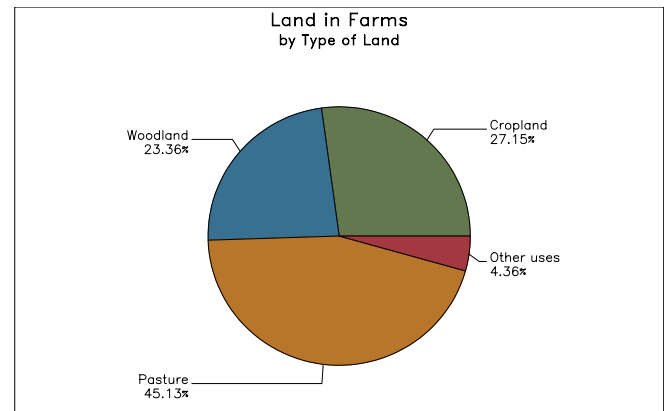
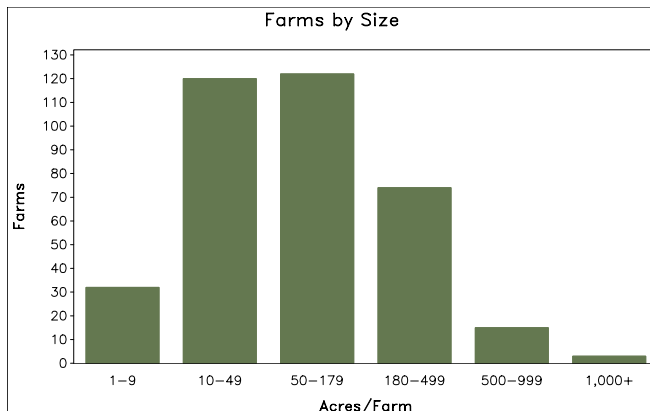
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Parish Profile

Sabine Parish Louisiana



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	366	403	- 9
Land in Farms	50,568 acres	62,533 acres	- 19
Average Size of Farm	138 acres	155 acres	- 11
Market Value of Products Sold	\$105,344,000	\$66,697,000	+ 58
Crop Sales \$564,000 (1 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$104,780,000 (99 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$287,826	\$165,502	+ 74
Government Payments	\$298,000	\$421,000	- 29
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,273	\$5,009	+ 105



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Parish Profile

Sabine 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	105,344	4	64	843	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	564	58	63	2,908	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	104,780	3	64	367	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	51	55	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	53	44	61	2,116	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	42	61	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	57	40	55	2,199	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	23	35	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	36	63	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	99,120	3	60	103	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	23	63	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	34	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	19	16	58	1,987	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	2	48	57	2,883	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	52	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	7	23	53	2,136	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,236	18	62	1,783	3,060
Short-rotation woody crops	235	18	42	181	1,134
Vegetables harvested for sale	55	29	61	1,626	2,794
Pecans, all	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	1,315
Peaches, all	(D)	2	29	(D)	1,833
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	6,309,950	3	40	84	2,476
Pullets for laying flock replacement	253,667	1	47	129	2,627
Cattle and calves	15,434	24	63	1,639	3,060
Horses and ponies	787	28	63	1,702	3,066
Goats, all	319	26	59	1,891	3,023

Other Parish Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	81	Farming	181
\$1,000 to \$2,499	47	Other	185
\$2,500 to \$4,999	36	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	60	Male	326
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34	Female	40
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	22
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	Black or African American	13
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	49	White	487
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	82,164	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	224,492	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	12
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	24,097		
Average per farm (\$)	65,839		

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.