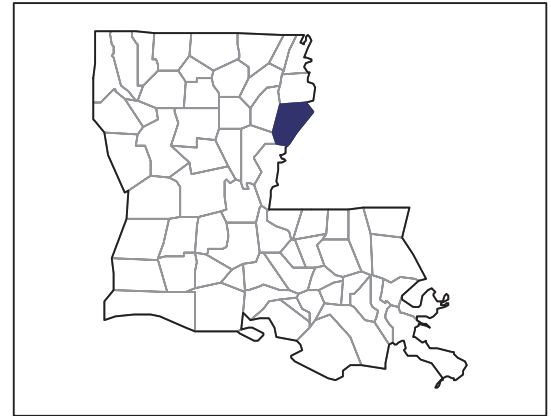


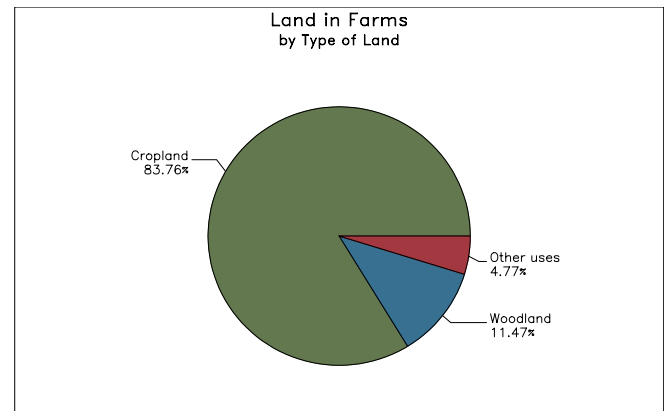
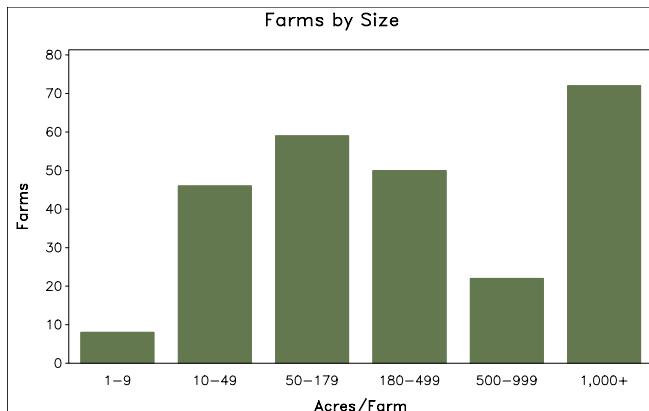
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Parish Profile

Tensas Parish Louisiana



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	257	228	+ 13
Land in Farms	225,382 acres	226,144 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	877 acres	992 acres	- 12
Market Value of Products Sold	\$85,117,000	\$48,786,000	+ 74
Crop Sales \$85,009,000 (100 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$109,000 (0 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$331,196	\$213,975	+ 55
Government Payments	\$11,020,000	\$4,865,000	+ 127
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$47,296	\$32,007	+ 48



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Parish Profile

Tensas 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	85,117	8	64	1,043	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	85,009	3	63	482	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	109	62	64	3,040	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	40,483	10	55	683	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	44,196	1	26	26	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	61	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	16	61	884	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	55	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	35	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	61	63	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	-	-	60	-	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	62	63	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	34	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	-	-	58	-	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	-	-	57	-	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2	60	61	2,988	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	39	52	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(Z)	43	53	2,652	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	78,692	5	43	401	2,634
Cotton, all	74,821	1	26	31	627
Soybeans for beans	10,996	16	45	1,001	2,039
Sorghum for grain	8,086	10	32	197	1,158
Wheat for grain, all	5,110	11	37	972	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	509	61	63	2,969	3,060
Horses and ponies	(D)	62	63	(D)	3,066
Colonies of bees	8	38	54	2,260	2,640
Mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	58	60	(D)	2,998

Other Parish Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	135	Farming	109
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2	Other	148
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6	Male	198
\$10,000 to \$19,999	8	Female	59
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14	Black or African American	52
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	52	White	331
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	65,964	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	256,669	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	35,456		
Average per farm (\$)	137,959		

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.