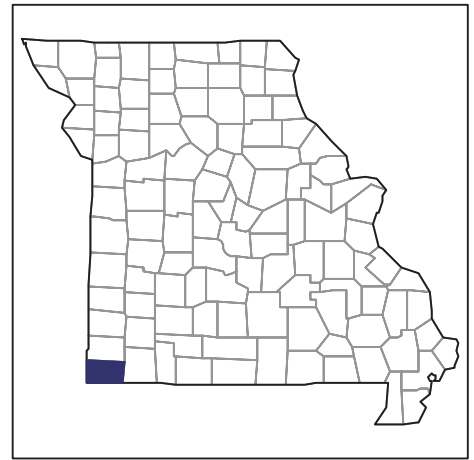


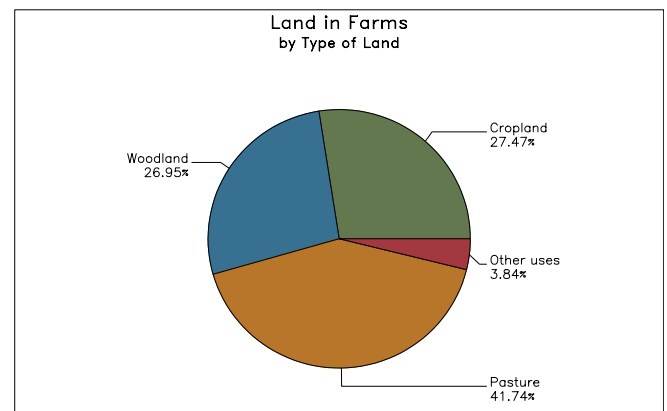
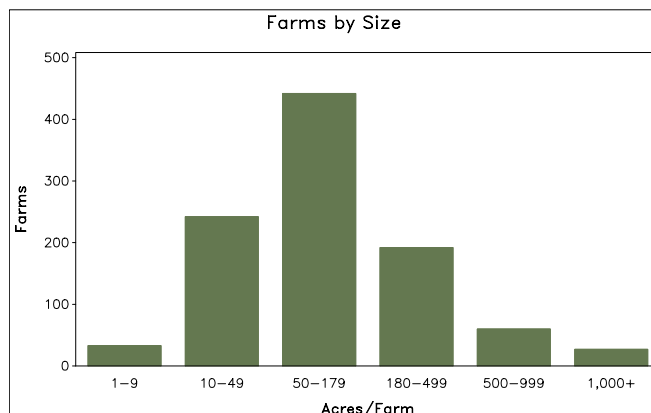
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

McDonald County Missouri



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	996	1,113	- 11
Land in Farms	199,780 acres	215,939 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	201 acres	194 acres	+ 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$110,906,000	\$119,889,000	- 7
Crop Sales \$2,490,000 (2 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$108,416,000 (98 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$111,352	\$107,717	+ 3
Government Payments	\$181,000	\$564,000	- 68
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,292	\$2,319	+ 42



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

McDonald County – Missouri

Ranked items among the 114 state counties 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	110,906	16	114	798	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,490	93	114	2,510	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	108,416	7	114	348	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	318	93	114	2,245	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	11	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	8	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	109	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	17	99	109	2,465	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	63	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	114	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	92,431	4	113	115	3,020
Cattle and calves	13,270	53	114	974	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,042	38	106	1,068	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	112	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	37	84	112	1,871	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	45	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	14	77	110	1,924	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	35,318	49	114	553	3,060
Corn for grain	781	91	107	1,939	2,634
Field and grass seed crops, all	362	54	88	211	931
Corn for silage	340	66	97	1,520	2,263
Sunflower seed, all	(D)	6	19	(D)	620
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,731,395	4	105	113	2,476
Pullets for laying flock replacement	216,695	6	110	146	2,627
Turkeys	197,917	10	99	117	2,371
Layers	114,458	9	113	360	3,024
Cattle and calves	54,416	24	114	509	3,060

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	253	Farming	482
\$1,000 to \$2,499	77	Other	514
\$2,500 to \$4,999	120	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	155	Male	870
\$10,000 to \$19,999	144	Female	126
\$20,000 to \$24,999	40	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	59	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	41
\$50,000 to \$99,999	34	Asian	51
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	18	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	64	White	1,396
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	101,874	More than one race	38
Average per farm (\$)	102,283	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	11,048		
Average per farm (\$)	11,092		

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.