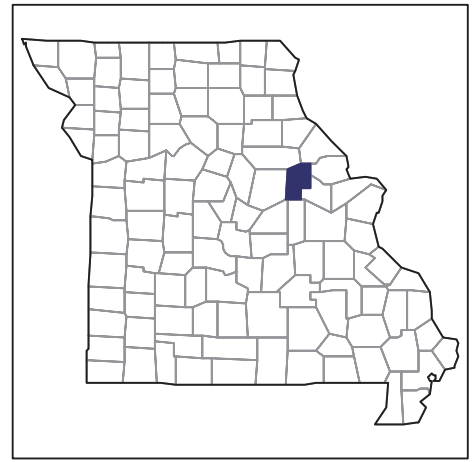


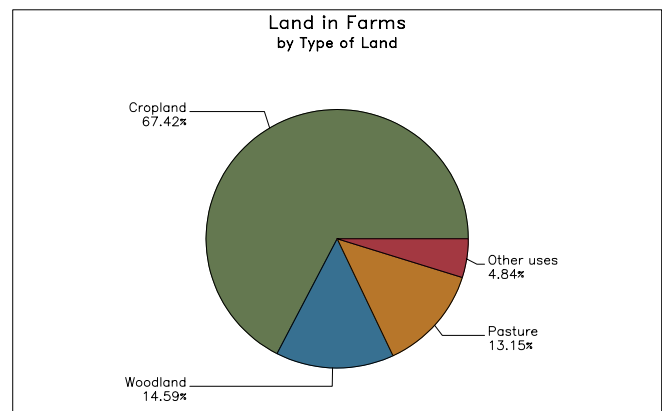
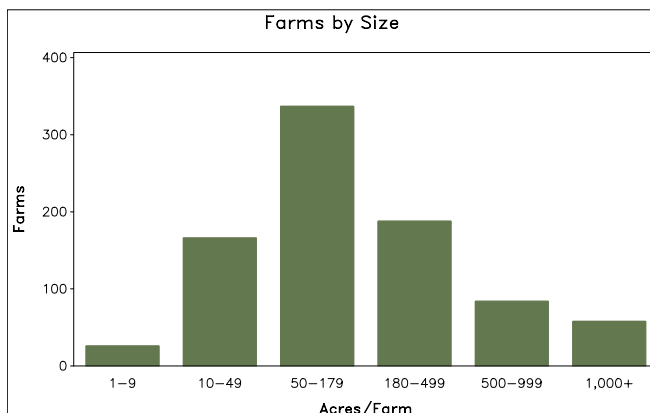
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Montgomery County Missouri



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	859	761	+ 13
Land in Farms	248,070 acres	258,679 acres	- 4
Average Size of Farm	289 acres	340 acres	- 15
Market Value of Products Sold	\$52,156,000	\$36,122,000	+ 44
Crop Sales \$39,049,000 (75 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$13,107,000 (25 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$60,717	\$47,466	+ 28
Government Payments	\$2,949,000	\$2,713,000	+ 9
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,381	\$6,193	- 13



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Montgomery 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	52,156	63	114	1,526	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	39,049	38	114	1,048	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	13,107	82	114	1,856	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	35,197	36	114	749	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)	92	97	2,627	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,960	9	109	665	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	59	63	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	869	83	114	1,677	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	9,510	76	114	1,227	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	100	106	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	3,183	41	112	646	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	112	30	112	1,025	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	221	30	113	1,034	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	45	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	25	55	110	1,678	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	61,748	30	104	422	2,039
Corn for grain	51,546	20	107	577	2,634
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	20,239	85	114	1,048	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	11,884	28	108	649	2,481
Sorghum for grain	3,979	7	89	270	1,158
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	21,740	85	114	1,343	3,060
Hogs and pigs	12,213	41	111	653	2,958
Sheep and lambs	1,158	20	110	803	2,891
Horses and ponies	1,018	62	114	1,368	3,066
Goats, all	971	40	113	777	3,023

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	238	Farming	353
\$1,000 to \$2,499	63	Other	506
\$2,500 to \$4,999	80	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	82	Male	779
\$10,000 to \$19,999	84	Female	80
\$20,000 to \$24,999	39	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	42	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	30	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	65	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	81	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	38	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	17	White	1,240
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	47,531	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	55,333	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	10,954		
Average per farm (\$)	12,752		

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.