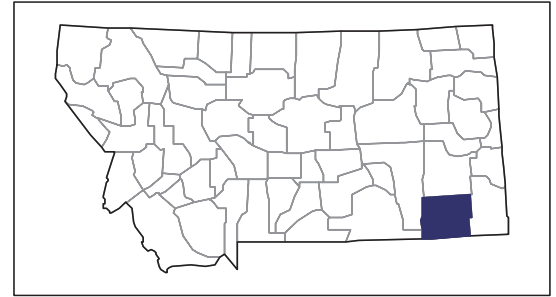


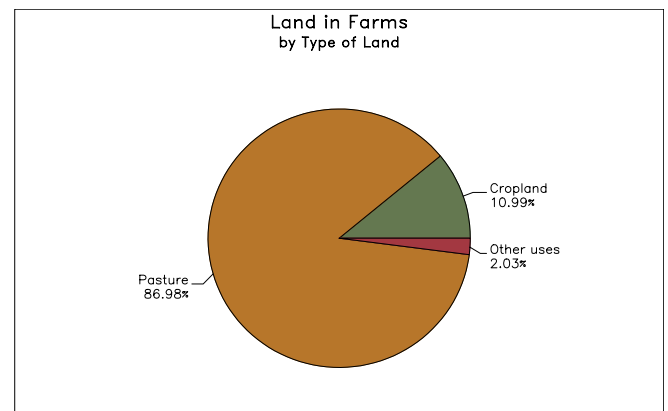
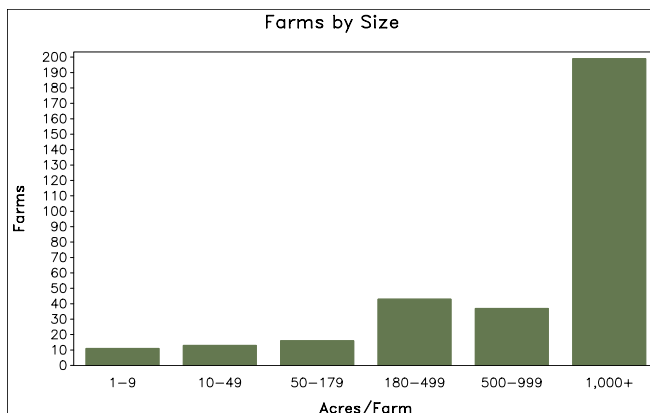
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Powder River County Montana

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	319	301	+ 6
Land in Farms	1,620,068 acres	1,521,618 acres	+ 6
Average Size of Farm	5,079 acres	5,055 acres	0
Market Value of Products Sold	\$40,960,000	\$29,501,000	+ 39
Crop Sales \$5,216,000 (13 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$35,744,000 (87 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$128,401	\$98,009	+ 31
Government Payments	\$925,000	\$1,666,000	- 44
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,467	\$11,817	- 45



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County Profile

Powder River County – Montana

Ranked items among the 56 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	40,960	32	56	1,744	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,216	43	56	2,226	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	35,744	14	56	1,028	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,391	43	54	1,734	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	41	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	24	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	42	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	9	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,825	25	56	603	3,054
Poultry and eggs	7	45	55	2,622	3,020
Cattle and calves	34,357	12	56	358	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	27	41	48	2,218	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1	51	54	2,761	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	946	6	55	127	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	15	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	18	52	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	91,666	5	56	50	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	12,828	38	53	623	2,481
Field and grass seed crops, all	2,187	5	37	77	931
Barley for grain	1,759	41	53	210	1,154
Oats for grain	408	34	52	745	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	77,112	10	56	243	3,060
Sheep and lambs	14,724	3	55	70	2,891
Horses and ponies	1,689	24	56	752	3,066
Colonies of bees	(D)	23	41	(D)	2,640
Layers	332	43	56	2,419	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	55	Farming	207
\$1,000 to \$2,499	12	Other	112
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	Male	277
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26	Female	42
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	46	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	74	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	34	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4
\$500,000 or more	15	White	543
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	32,806	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	102,840	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	10,180		
Average per farm (\$)	31,911		

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.