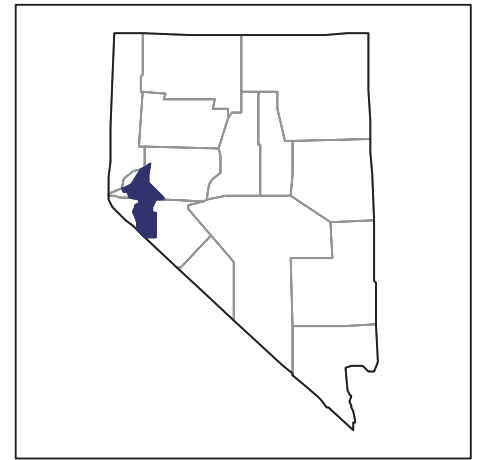


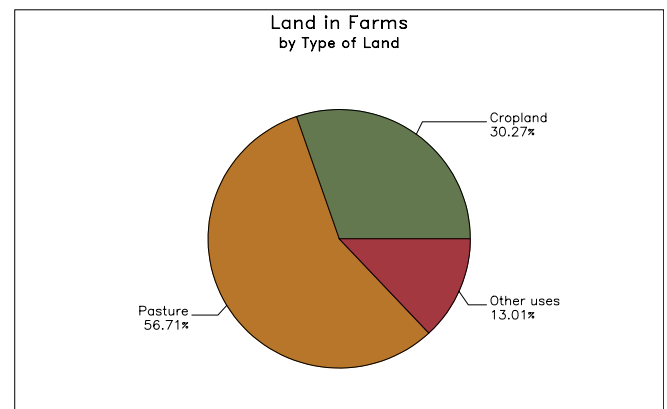
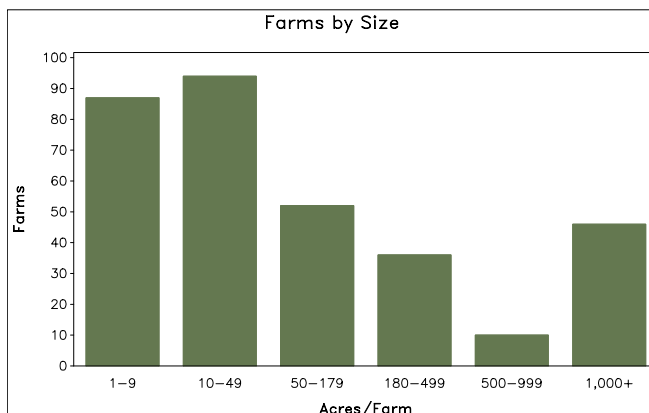
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## County Profile

### Lyon County Nevada



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	325	330	- 2
<b>Land in Farms</b>	260,660 acres	226,449 acres	+ 15
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	802 acres	686 acres	+ 17
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$91,108,000	\$74,471,000	+ 22
Crop Sales \$62,158,000 (68 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$28,950,000 (32 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$280,331	\$225,668	+ 24
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$59,000	\$316,000	- 81
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$5,377	\$8,773	- 39



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#### Ranked items among the 17 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	91,108	1	17	973	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	62,158	1	17	702	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	28,950	4	16	1,218	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,738	3	8	1,831	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	34,387	1	12	72	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2	8	9	2,512	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,427	3	12	729	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	1	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	23,603	2	17	72	3,054
Poultry and eggs	29	2	15	1,940	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	3	16	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	3	13	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	38	2	11	1,696	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	830	4	15	153	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	217	7	16	1,051	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	1	5	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	9	11	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	49,232	3	17	297	3,060
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	2	12	(D)	2,794
Onions, dry	(D)	1	6	17	1,013
Corn for silage	1,748	2	9	716	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	3	6	(D)	2,481
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	36,579	4	16	863	3,060
Sheep and lambs	(D)	1	15	(D)	2,891
Horses and ponies	1,356	6	17	986	3,066
Layers	1,140	1	16	1,511	3,024
Goats, all	999	3	15	756	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	93	Farming	174
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30	Other	151
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	Male	256
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27	Female	69
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	12	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
\$500,000 or more	33	White	540
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	76,073	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	234,071	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	27
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	16,212		
Average per farm (\$)	49,882		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.