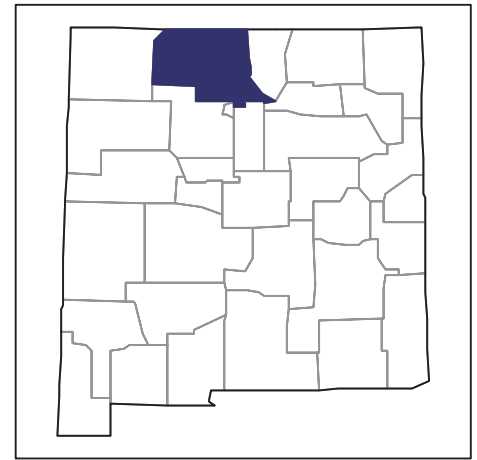


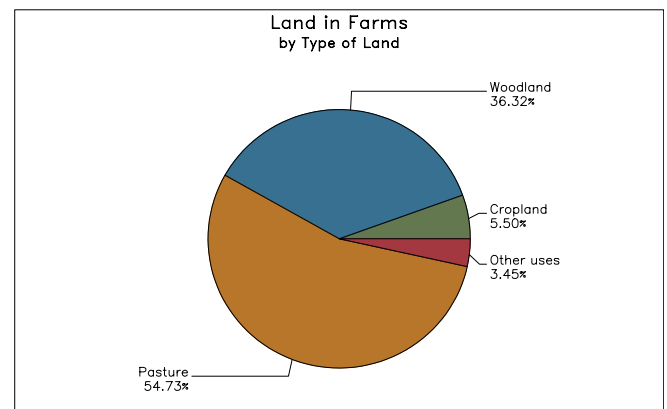
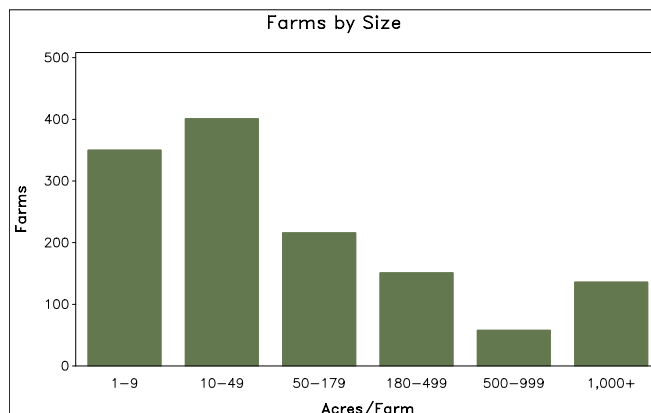
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County Profile

Rio Arriba County New Mexico



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,312	988	+ 33
Land in Farms	1,460,186 acres	1,431,119 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	1,113 acres	1,449 acres	- 23
Market Value of Products Sold	\$12,763,000	\$10,551,000	+ 21
Crop Sales \$3,888,000 (30 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,875,000 (70 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$9,728	\$10,679	- 9
Government Payments	\$323,000	\$544,000	- 41
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,675	\$5,333	- 31



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Rio Arriba County – New Mexico

Ranked items among the 33 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	12,763	23	33	2,494	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,888	21	33	2,349	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,875	23	32	2,117	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	8	27	30	2,777	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	10	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	714	12	29	929	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,223	7	29	417	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	562	10	28	1,354	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2	2	8	1,480	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,379	20	31	1,219	3,054
Poultry and eggs	108	5	32	1,401	3,020
Cattle and calves	7,910	20	32	1,373	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	26	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	4	22	31	2,572	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	398	7	32	323	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	138	21	32	1,440	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	4	10	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	20,777	7	32	1,030	3,060
Apples	629	1	28	72	2,144
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	13	29	(D)	2,794
Sweet corn	121	6	24	430	2,384
Nursery stock	(D)	4	22	(D)	2,130
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	25,361	20	32	1,198	3,060
Sheep and lambs	4,881	7	32	209	2,891
Horses and ponies	3,202	3	33	229	3,066
Layers	3,040	3	32	938	3,024
Turkeys	(D)	2	25	(D)	2,371

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	401	Farming	600
\$1,000 to \$2,499	200	Other	712
\$2,500 to \$4,999	216	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	235	Male	1,154
\$10,000 to \$19,999	133	Female	158
\$20,000 to \$24,999	29	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	43	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22	American Indian or Alaska Native	87
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	8
\$500,000 or more	2	White	1,782
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	17,082	More than one race	38
Average per farm (\$)	13,020	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1,400
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-858		
Average per farm (\$)	-654		

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.