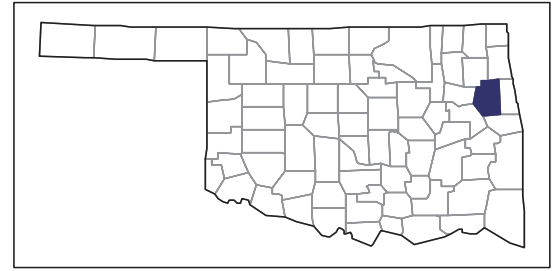


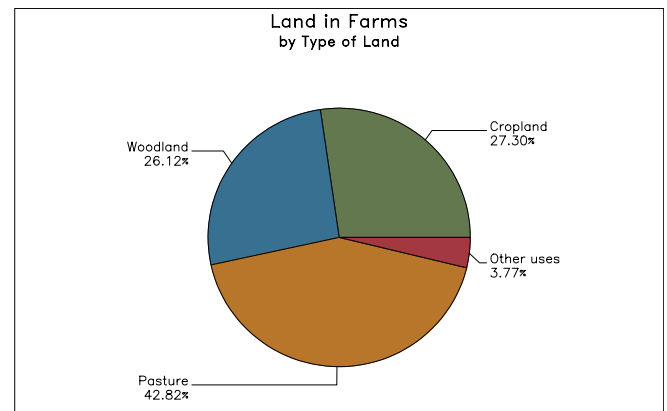
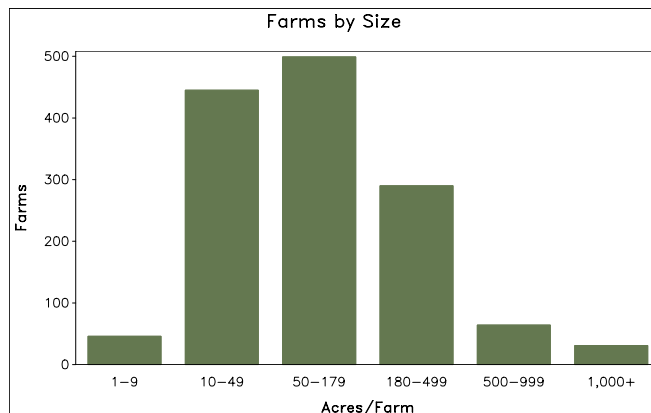
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Cherokee County Oklahoma

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,375	1,221	+ 13
Land in Farms	246,421 acres	220,739 acres	+ 12
Average Size of Farm	179 acres	181 acres	- 1
Market Value of Products Sold	\$129,816,000	\$94,069,000	+ 38
Crop Sales \$100,119,000 (77 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$29,697,000 (23 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$94,411	\$77,042	+ 23
Government Payments	\$291,000	\$470,000	- 38
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,309	\$2,399	- 4



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Cherokee County – Oklahoma

Ranked items among the 77 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	129,816	10	77	667	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	100,119	2	77	369	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	29,697	48	77	1,197	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	14	73	76	2,714	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	192	20	76	1,530	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	73	41	70	1,546	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	97,783	1	69	32	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	32	6	26	733	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,025	41	77	862	3,054
Poultry and eggs	9,287	11	76	583	3,020
Cattle and calves	13,986	63	77	937	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,910	9	76	656	2,493
Hogs and pigs	40	52	77	1,672	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	104	36	77	1,073	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	363	29	77	664	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	6	48	70	2,197	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	42,500	35	77	407	3,060
Nursery stock	1,316	1	35	64	2,130
Pecans, all	1,148	32	68	131	1,315
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	75	75	(D)	2,481
Walnuts, English	(D)	1	5	(D)	540
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	347,183	10	62	431	2,476
Pullets for laying flock replacement	158,486	3	70	180	2,627
Turkeys	89,607	1	62	178	2,371
Cattle and calves	49,048	54	77	597	3,060
Layers	21,552	15	76	624	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	401	Farming	577
\$1,000 to \$2,499	174	Other	798
\$2,500 to \$4,999	161	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	219	Male	1,227
\$10,000 to \$19,999	176	Female	148
\$20,000 to \$24,999	48	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	50	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	42	American Indian or Alaska Native	617
\$50,000 to \$99,999	45	Asian	10
\$100,000 to \$249,999	30	Black or African American	5
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
\$500,000 or more	19	White	1,360
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	75,628	More than one race	121
Average per farm (\$)	55,002	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	18
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	54,969		
Average per farm (\$)	39,978		

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.