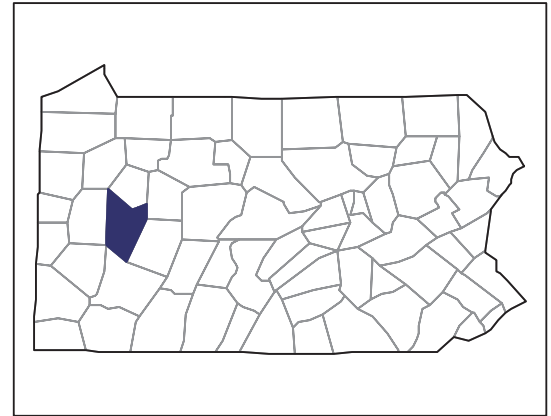


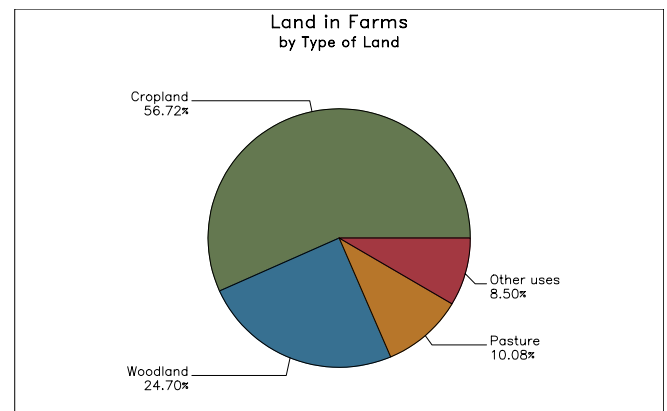
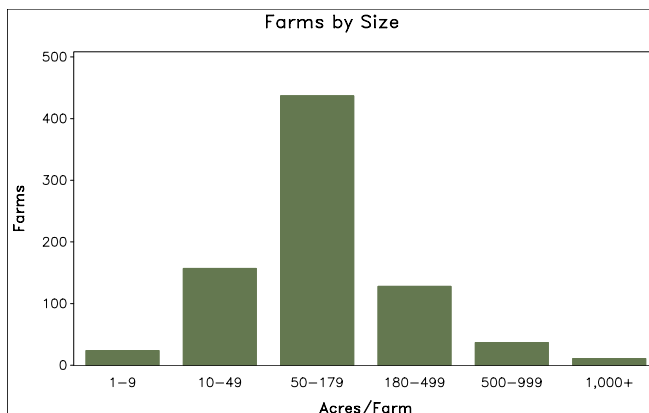
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County Profile

Armstrong County Pennsylvania



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	794	739	+ 7
Land in Farms	122,275 acres	130,637 acres	- 6
Average Size of Farm	154 acres	177 acres	- 13
Market Value of Products Sold	\$51,976,000	\$46,326,000	+ 12
Crop Sales \$34,464,000 (66 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$17,512,000 (34 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$65,461	\$62,687	+ 4
Government Payments	\$587,000	\$659,000	- 11
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,297	\$4,279	- 23



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Armstrong County – Pennsylvania

Ranked items among the 67 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	51,976	32	67	1,529	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	34,464	13	67	1,122	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17,512	39	67	1,621	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	612	44	67	983	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	409	42	66	775	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	6	65	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	181	27	66	262	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	26	67	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,557	40	67	1,944	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	11,550	37	65	426	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	26	66	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	72	41	66	1,367	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	124	47	67	1,528	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	45	59	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	32,106	24	67	636	3,060
Corn for grain	10,404	32	66	1,157	2,634
Soybeans for beans	3,276	36	61	1,282	2,039
Corn for silage	3,077	38	64	481	2,263
Oats for grain	2,443	9	64	157	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Pheasants	(D)	3	62	14	1,544
Cattle and calves	13,228	37	67	1,788	3,060
Layers	2,482	45	67	1,020	3,024
Hogs and pigs	1,913	34	66	1,069	2,958
Horses and ponies	1,404	29	67	937	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	287	Farming	343
\$1,000 to \$2,499	92	Other	451
\$2,500 to \$4,999	79	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	95	Male	694
\$10,000 to \$19,999	72	Female	100
\$20,000 to \$24,999	34	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	33	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	43	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	21	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	9	White	1,174
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	49,229	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	62,001	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,391		
Average per farm (\$)	5,530		

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.