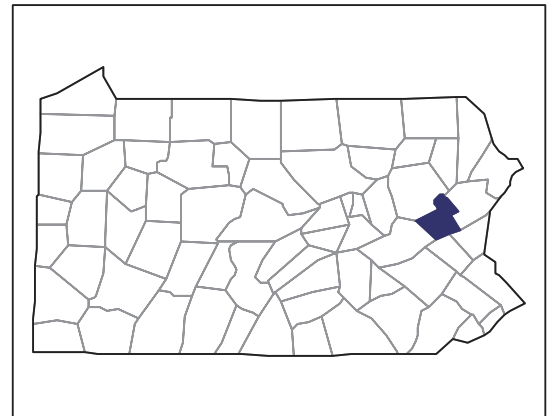


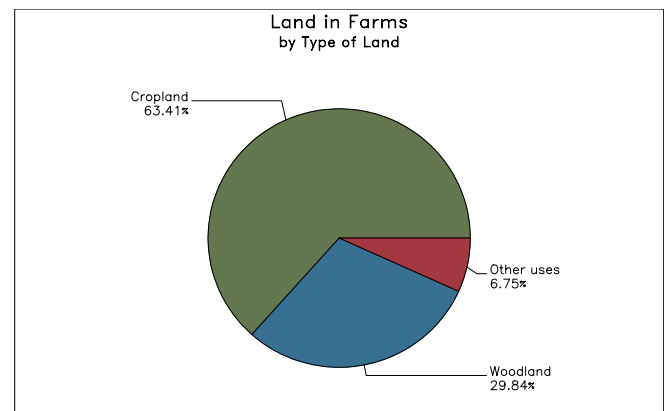
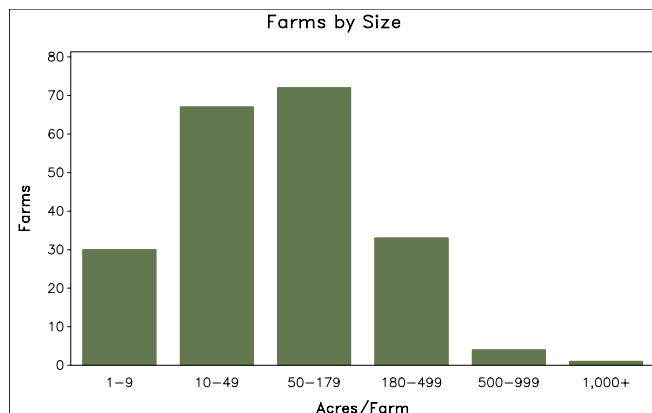
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Carbon County Pennsylvania



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	207	206	0
Land in Farms	20,035 acres	19,257 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	97 acres	93 acres	+ 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$8,944,000	\$8,147,000	+ 10
Crop Sales \$7,823,000 (87 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,121,000 (13 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$43,206	\$39,551	+ 9
Government Payments	\$239,000	\$105,000	+ 128
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,539	\$1,978	+ 28



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Carbon 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	8,944	59	67	2,642	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,823	47	67	2,002	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,121	63	67	2,877	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	673	52	67	2,085	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	954	37	67	828	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	162	55	66	1,187	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,265	28	65	621	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1,699	4	66	32	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,068	49	66	1,439	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	325	61	67	2,869	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	394	61	65	1,693	2,493
Hogs and pigs	11	61	66	2,234	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	35	53	66	1,918	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	67	67	3,023	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	50	53	67	1,353	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,455	61	67	2,379	3,060
Corn for grain	1,473	54	66	1,768	2,634
Cut Christmas trees	1,398	7	66	36	1,756
Nursery stock	1,090	6	61	81	2,130
Oats for grain	482	43	64	667	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	1,236	56	67	1,450	3,024
Cattle and calves	1,087	61	67	2,898	3,060
Pheasants	(D)	28	62	(D)	1,544
Sheep and lambs	595	48	66	1,321	2,891
Ducks	296	28	66	408	2,733

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	82	Farming	77
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15	Other	130
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	Male	179
\$10,000 to \$19,999	20	Female	28
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	329
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,906	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	38,193	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,473		
Average per farm (\$)	7,114		

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.