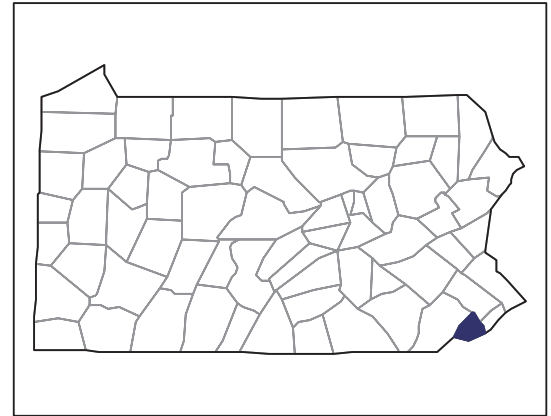


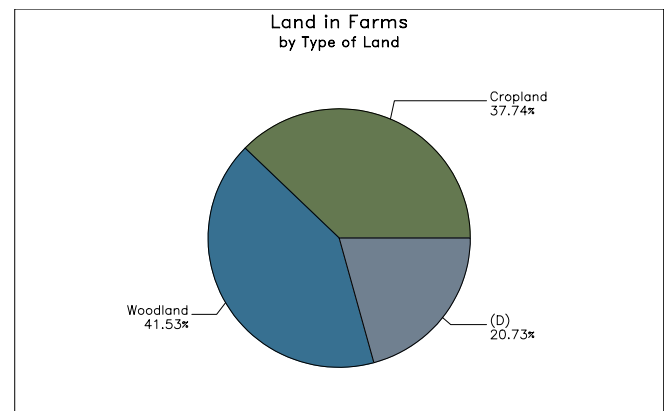
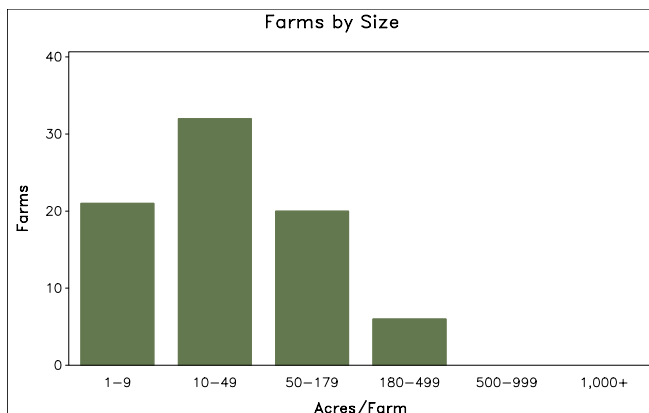
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## County Profile

### Delaware County Pennsylvania



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	79	76	+ 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	4,361 acres	(D)	
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	55 acres	(D)	
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$9,455,000	\$7,154,000	+ 32
Crop Sales \$9,200,000 (97 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$255,000 (3 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$119,681	\$94,131	+ 27
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$5,000	(D)	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,274	(D)	



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#### Ranked items among the 67 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	9,455	57	67	2,620	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	9,200	40	67	1,912	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	255	65	67	3,020	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9	66	67	2,762	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	59	67	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	8,764	15	65	317	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	65	66	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	48	66	66	2,934	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	66	67	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	65	65	2,459	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	65	66	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	14	60	66	2,483	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	66	67	3,011	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	50	59	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	3	65	67	2,354	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	(D)	66	67	2,931	3,060
Corn for grain	67	66	66	2,378	2,634
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	59	67	(D)	2,794
Sod harvested	(D)	8	10	591	761
Nursery stock	40	47	61	930	2,130
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Pheasants	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	1,544
Layers	315	63	67	2,457	3,024
Horses and ponies	276	61	67	2,726	3,066
Quail	(D)	39	57	(D)	1,386
Colonies of bees	164	44	66	1,053	2,640

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	40	Farming	29
\$1,000 to \$2,499	11	Other	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	5	Male	61
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Female	18
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	2	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,524	Black or African American	1
Average per farm (\$)	120,553	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	119
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	48	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	612	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-

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.