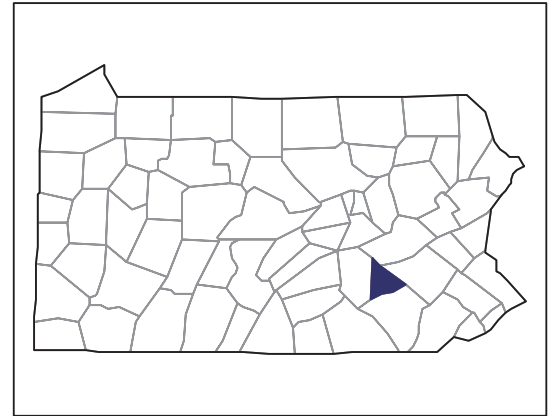


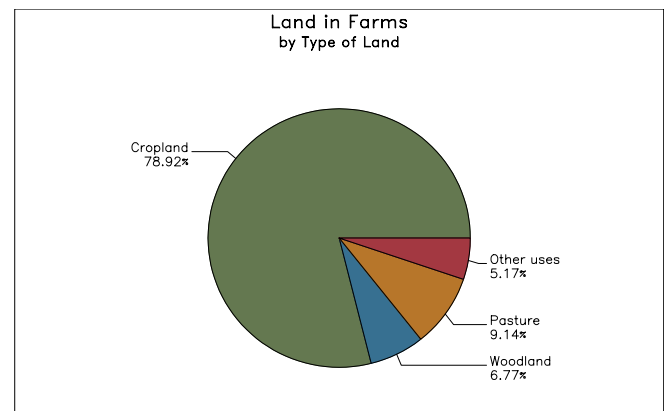
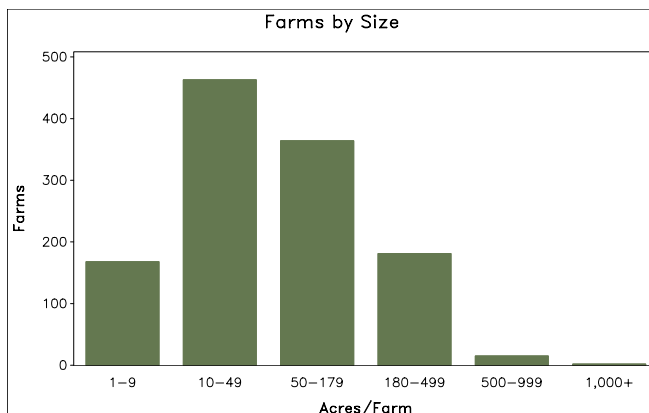
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Lebanon County Pennsylvania



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,193	1,104	+ 8
Land in Farms	113,486 acres	125,066 acres	- 9
Average Size of Farm	95 acres	113 acres	- 16
Market Value of Products Sold	\$257,097,000	\$191,103,000	+ 35
Crop Sales \$21,995,000 (9 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$235,102,000 (91 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$215,505	\$173,101	+ 24
Government Payments	\$1,495,000	\$2,921,000	- 49
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,296	\$13,159	- 67



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County Profile

Lebanon 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	257,097	5	67	206	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	21,995	19	67	1,402	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	235,102	3	67	93	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	15,041	9	67	1,093	2,933
Tobacco	220	8	19	297	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,097	21	67	567	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	724	29	66	559	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,102	33	65	787	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	97	39	66	420	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,714	35	66	1,005	3,054
Poultry and eggs	97,228	2	67	104	3,020
Cattle and calves	17,550	7	67	775	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	90,985	3	65	65	2,493
Hogs and pigs	26,765	2	66	171	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	165	28	66	741	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	501	11	67	490	3,024
Aquaculture	1,364	13	59	163	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	543	19	67	362	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	25,356	10	66	842	2,634
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	24,114	31	67	879	3,060
Corn for silage	15,676	5	64	66	2,263
Soybeans for beans	14,035	10	61	944	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	4,565	11	60	1,011	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,470,497	3	62	183	2,476
Layers	1,504,824	5	67	64	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	765,681	2	65	27	2,627
Turkeys	290,278	5	63	89	2,371
Hogs and pigs	99,985	2	66	168	2,958

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	306	Farming	654
\$1,000 to \$2,499	104	Other	539
\$2,500 to \$4,999	97	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	71	Male	1,069
\$10,000 to \$19,999	58	Female	124
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	51.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	47	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	19	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	72	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	109	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	149	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	141	White	1,752
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	191,410	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	160,444	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	72,215		
Average per farm (\$)	60,532		

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.