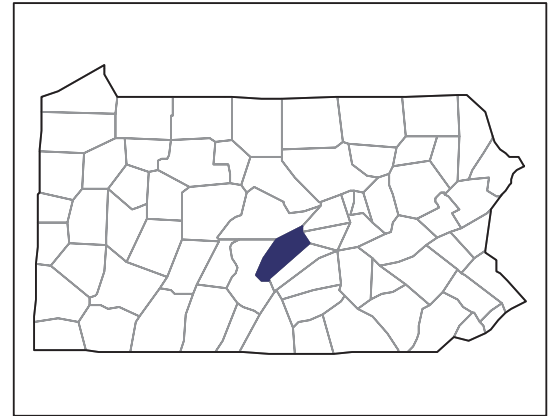


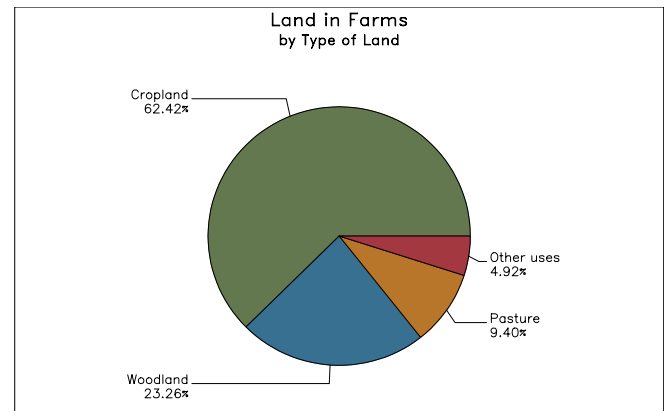
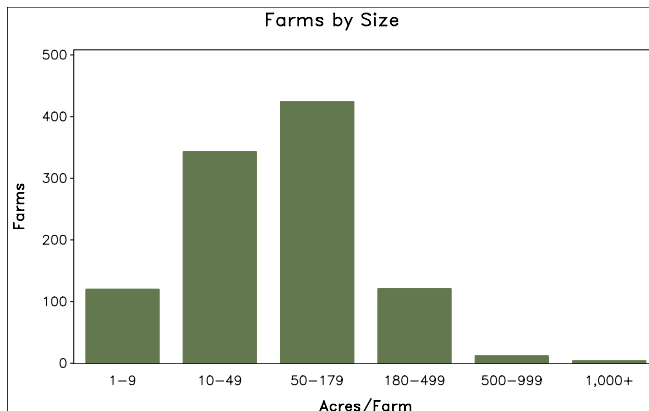
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Mifflin County Pennsylvania



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,024	752	+ 36
Land in Farms	94,133 acres	90,486 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	92 acres	120 acres	- 23
Market Value of Products Sold	\$86,818,000	\$55,488,000	+ 56
Crop Sales \$7,904,000 (9 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$78,914,000 (91 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$84,783	\$73,788	+ 15
Government Payments	\$897,000	\$1,748,000	- 49
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,398	\$10,163	- 67



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County Profile

Mifflin 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	86,818	18	67	1,017	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,904	46	67	1,997	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	78,914	14	67	515	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,039	29	67	1,489	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	428	50	67	1,134	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	819	27	66	518	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	608	56	65	1,312	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	77	46	66	479	1,710
Other crops and hay	934	52	66	1,597	3,054
Poultry and eggs	17,392	15	67	439	3,020
Cattle and calves	10,301	13	67	1,169	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	41,989	11	65	176	2,493
Hogs and pigs	8,468	13	66	409	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	213	20	66	593	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	157	42	67	1,319	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	59	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	395	24	67	444	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,543	40	67	1,112	3,060
Corn for grain	12,993	29	66	1,083	2,634
Corn for silage	8,721	15	64	159	2,263
Soybeans for beans	5,768	29	61	1,159	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	1,189	31	60	1,563	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	237,647	18	62	476	2,476
Turkeys	166,831	6	63	131	2,371
Pullets for laying flock replacement	64,605	13	65	298	2,627
Cattle and calves	32,389	13	67	978	3,060
Layers	23,482	22	67	608	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	309	Farming	473
\$1,000 to \$2,499	93	Other	551
\$2,500 to \$4,999	81	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	116	Male	912
\$10,000 to \$19,999	77	Female	112
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	51.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	58	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	19	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	67	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	93	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	63	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	33	White	1,364
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	67,850	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	66,260	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	22,067		
Average per farm (\$)	21,550		

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.