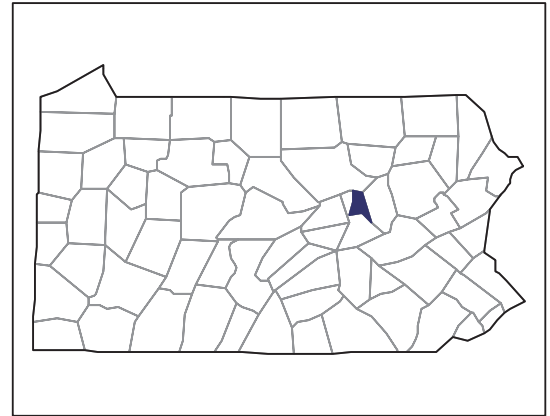


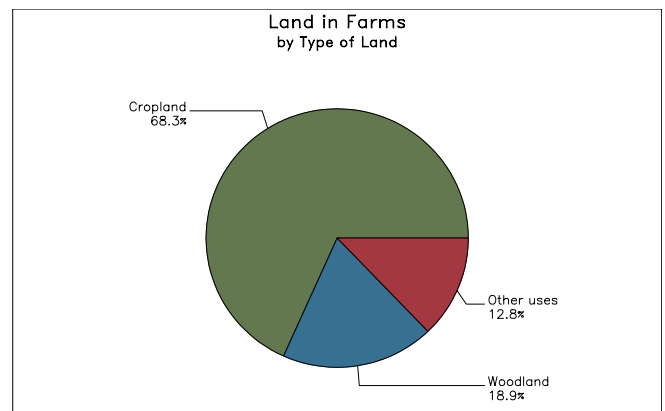
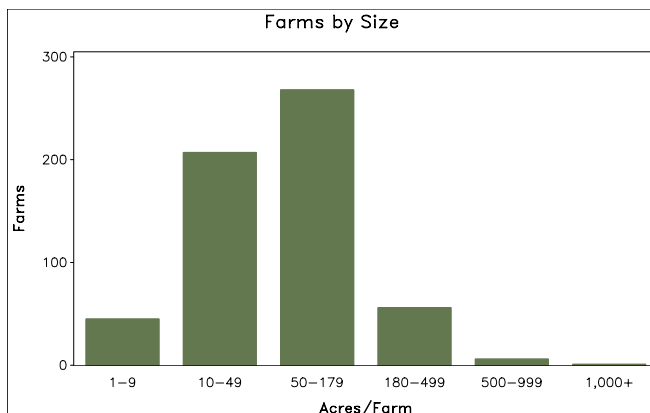
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Montour County Pennsylvania



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	583	304	+ 92
Land in Farms	50,252 acres	39,964 acres	+ 26
Average Size of Farm	86 acres	131 acres	- 34
Market Value of Products Sold	\$36,193,000	\$27,414,000	+ 32
Crop Sales \$21,146,000 (58 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$15,047,000 (42 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$62,081	\$90,178	- 31
Government Payments	\$837,000	\$549,000	+ 52
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,855	\$4,612	- 16



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County Profile

Montour 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	36,193	38	67	1,838	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	21,146	21	67	1,421	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	15,047	44	67	1,748	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	330	7	19	269	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	381	51	67	1,199	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	281	44	66	924	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	10	65	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	79	45	66	472	1,710
Other crops and hay	531	58	66	2,105	3,054
Poultry and eggs	4,948	20	67	717	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,879	36	67	1,882	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,494	50	65	692	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	34	66	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	19	59	66	2,326	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	62	57	67	2,058	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	59	51	67	1,289	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,266	59	67	2,115	3,060
Corn for grain	6,074	42	66	1,344	2,634
Soybeans for beans	4,986	30	61	1,193	2,039
Corn for silage	1,314	49	64	852	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	1,269	28	60	1,529	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	19	62	(D)	2,476
Layers	(D)	19	67	(D)	3,024
Turkeys	(D)	19	63	280	2,371
Ducks	(D)	9	66	35	2,733
Cattle and calves	7,680	47	67	2,203	3,060

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	292	Farming	209
\$1,000 to \$2,499	58	Other	374
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	Male	513
\$10,000 to \$19,999	28	Female	70
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	44	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	11	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	6	White	788
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	31,505	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	54,039	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	5
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,187		
Average per farm (\$)	10,612		

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.