

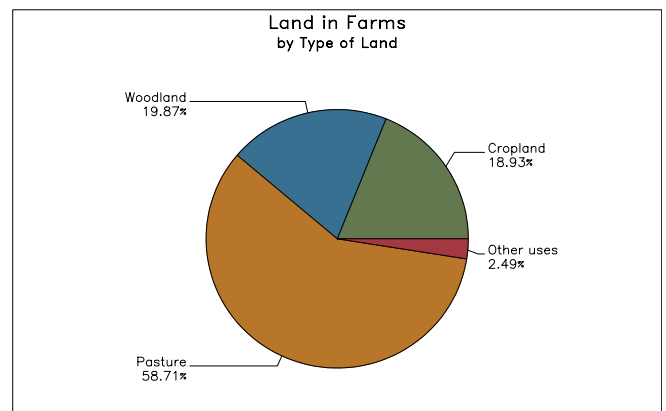
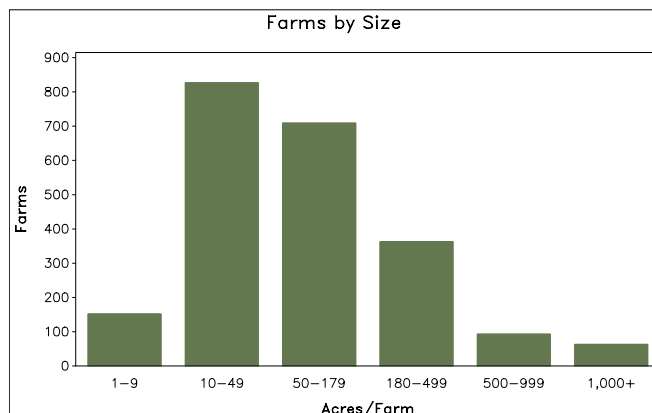
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Bastrop County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	2,207	2,187	+ 1
<b>Land in Farms</b>	402,079 acres	422,852 acres	- 5
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	182 acres	193 acres	- 6
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$38,188,000	\$27,822,000	+ 37
Crop Sales \$10,896,000 (29 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$27,292,000 (71 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$17,303	\$12,722	+ 36
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$428,000	\$183,000	+ 134
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$3,078	\$1,872	+ 64



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#### Ranked items among the 254 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	38,188	139	254	1,791	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	10,896	130	253	1,821	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	27,292	99	254	1,266	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	417	165	244	2,187	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	136	161	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	623	56	199	979	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	4,276	6	229	206	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,615	45	176	708	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	4	80	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,341	105	252	744	3,054
Poultry and eggs	986	48	240	1,000	3,020
Cattle and calves	24,459	69	254	542	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	18	130	158	2,265	2,493
Hogs and pigs	107	46	235	1,365	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	100	252	937	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,216	20	253	168	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	101	101	1,491	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	382	37	232	459	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	38,092	44	253	490	3,060
Pecans, all	2,101	24	231	75	1,315
Corn for grain	1,431	92	183	1,781	2,634
Sorghum for grain	887	131	187	488	1,158
Cotton, all	(D)	134	161	(D)	627
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	76,299	48	254	255	3,060
Layers	56,859	31	246	476	3,024
Horses and ponies	3,858	22	254	142	3,066
Goats, all	3,120	73	252	142	3,023
Deer	1,521	20	185	24	1,246

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	640	Farming	839
\$1,000 to \$2,499	375	Other	1,368
\$2,500 to \$4,999	340	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	328	Male	1,833
\$10,000 to \$19,999	232	Female	374
\$20,000 to \$24,999	63	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	88	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	45	American Indian or Alaska Native	29
\$50,000 to \$99,999	59	Asian	17
\$100,000 to \$249,999	22	Black or African American	100
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	10	White	3,189
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	48,736	More than one race	37
Average per farm (\$)	22,083	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	255
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-6,394		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,897		

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.