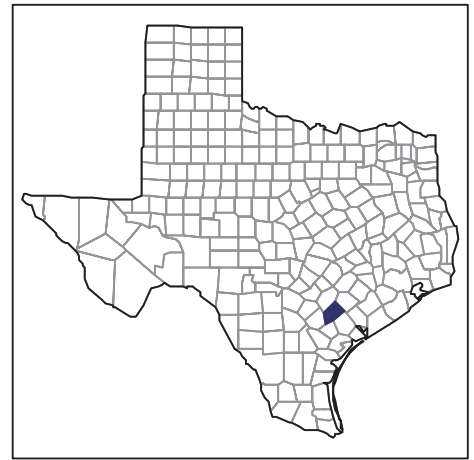


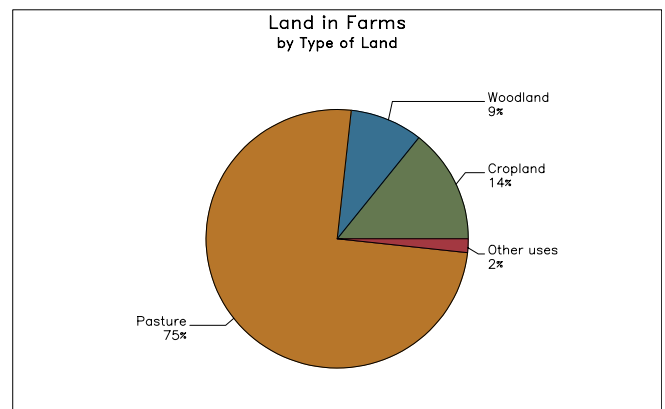
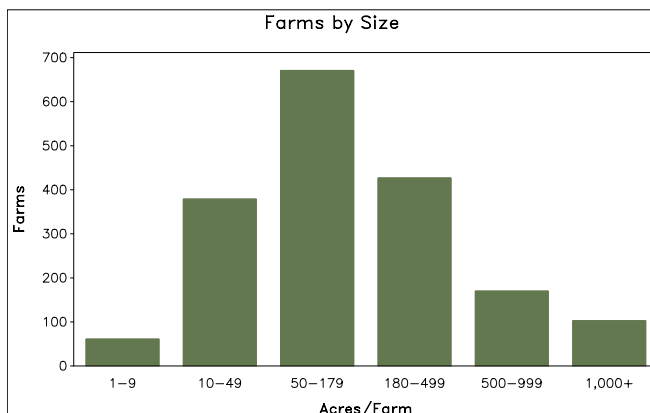
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

DeWitt County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,811	1,786	+ 1
Land in Farms	549,237 acres	576,896 acres	- 5
Average Size of Farm	303 acres	323 acres	- 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$40,983,000	\$29,523,000	+ 39
Crop Sales \$6,657,000 (16 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$34,326,000 (84 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$22,630	\$16,530	+ 37
Government Payments	\$396,000	\$707,000	- 44
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,354	\$2,690	+ 25



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

DeWitt County – Texas

Ranked items among the 254 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	40,983	129	254	1,743	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,657	166	253	2,098	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	34,326	79	254	1,071	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,208	123	244	1,757	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	146	133	161	521	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	199	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,178	14	229	287	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	176	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	80	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,066	113	252	848	3,054
Poultry and eggs	1,472	45	240	937	3,020
Cattle and calves	32,030	50	254	394	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	158	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	235	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	63	146	252	1,479	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	152	143	253	1,348	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	65	101	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	254	55	232	588	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	31,993	60	253	639	3,060
Corn for grain	5,708	62	183	1,373	2,634
Pecans, all	3,074	13	231	49	1,315
Corn for silage	(D)	(D)	89	(D)	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	387	160	199	1,908	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	108,324	20	254	115	3,060
Layers	61,229	29	246	466	3,024
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	38	172	(D)	2,476
Colonies of bees	(D)	13	178	(D)	2,640
Horses and ponies	1,543	101	254	831	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	405	Farming	781
\$1,000 to \$2,499	208	Other	1,030
\$2,500 to \$4,999	232		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	327	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	266	Male	1,534
\$20,000 to \$24,999	59	Female	277
\$25,000 to \$39,999	134		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	34	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	83		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	39	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	17	American Indian or Alaska Native	12
\$500,000 or more	7	Asian	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	43,085	Black or African American	54
Average per farm (\$)	23,791	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	2,599
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	349	More than one race	13
Average per farm (\$)	192	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	150

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.