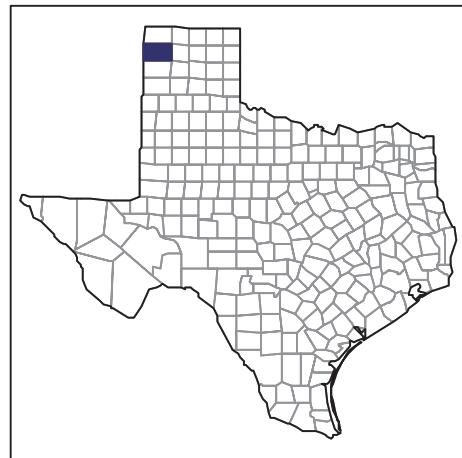


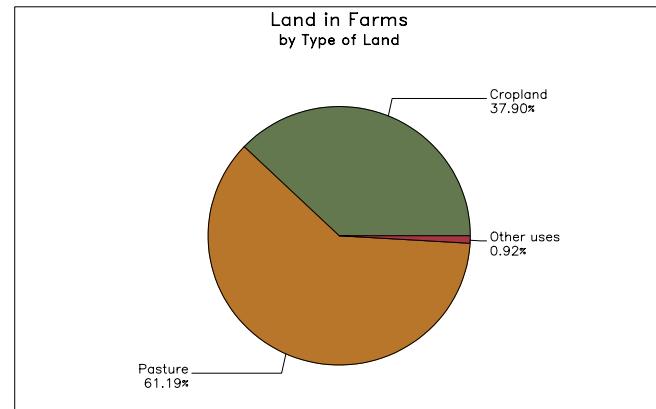
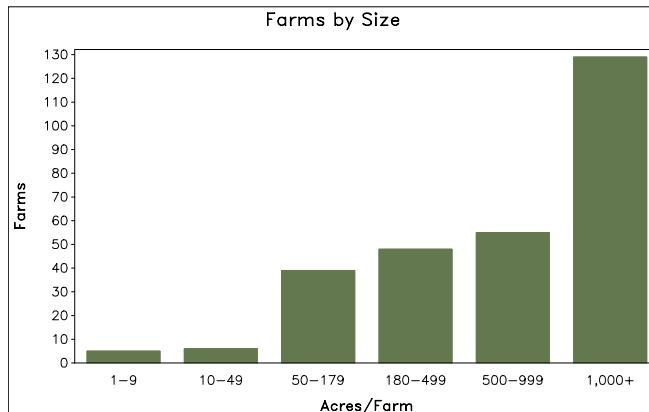
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County Profile

Hartley County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	282	253	+ 11
Land in Farms	910,965 acres	789,289 acres	+ 15
Average Size of Farm	3,230 acres	3,120 acres	+ 4
 Market Value of Products Sold	 \$724,508,000	 \$447,275,000	 + 62
Crop Sales \$147,196,000 (20 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$577,311,000 (80 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$2,569,176	\$1,767,886	+ 45
 Government Payments	 \$5,096,000	 \$3,606,000	 + 41
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$24,151	\$21,340	+ 13



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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	724,508	4	254	34	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	147,196	5	253	168	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	577,311	4	254	23	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	116,501	3	244	152	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	1,968	80	161	293	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	2	199	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	229	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	176	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	80	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	252	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	215	240	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	516,791	4	254	10	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	60,411	9	158	119	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	233	235	2,909	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	10	227	252	2,601	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	98	166	253	1,717	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	232	-	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	107,623	2	183	252	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	84,300	15	199	202	2,481
Sorghum for grain	24,897	26	187	94	1,158
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	16,520	116	253	1,228	3,060
Corn for silage	7,542	6	89	192	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	303,454	4	254	17	3,060
Horses and ponies	394	219	254	2,475	3,066
Layers	102	213	246	2,842	3,024
Goats, all	64	242	252	2,712	3,023
Quail	(D)	119	135	(D)	1,386

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	90	Farming	176
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	Other	106
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	Male	248
\$10,000 to \$19,999	8	Female	34
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	30	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	41	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	88	White	453
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	670,599	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	2,378,011	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	18
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	66,786		
Average per farm (\$)	236,829		

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(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.