

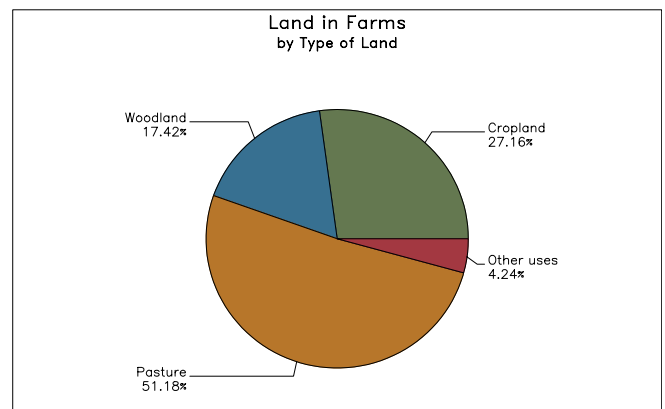
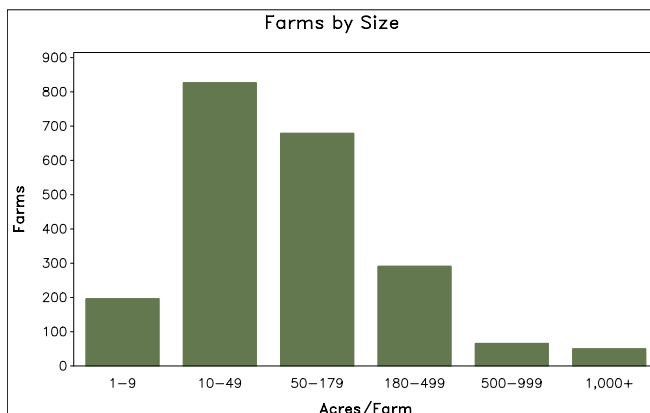
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Henderson County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	2,109	1,798	+ 17
Land in Farms	318,452 acres	340,869 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	151 acres	190 acres	- 21
Market Value of Products Sold	\$44,513,000	\$43,219,000	+ 3
Crop Sales \$19,123,000 (43 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$25,390,000 (57 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$21,106	\$24,037	- 12
Government Payments	\$124,000	\$114,000	+ 9
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,493	\$4,550	- 67



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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	44,513	118	254	1,662	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	19,123	90	253	1,479	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	25,390	104	254	1,326	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	244	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	161	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	737	54	199	913	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	604	64	229	647	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	10,136	20	176	290	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	50	80	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	7,337	17	252	227	3,054
Poultry and eggs	98	84	240	1,428	3,020
Cattle and calves	18,779	97	254	729	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,546	29	158	682	2,493
Hogs and pigs	47	69	235	1,610	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	104	113	252	1,070	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	787	36	253	283	3,024
Aquaculture	11	47	101	1,004	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	18	162	232	1,825	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	54,144	21	253	229	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	139	199	(D)	2,481
Nursery stock	367	15	133	273	2,130
Short-rotation woody crops	307	27	87	139	1,134
Pecans, all	(D)	100	231	285	1,315
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	64,535	63	254	357	3,060
Layers	3,833	59	246	855	3,024
Horses and ponies	3,797	23	254	150	3,066
Goats, all	2,640	83	252	188	3,023
Rabbits and their pelts	2,164	2	189	27	2,574

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	638	Farming	804
\$1,000 to \$2,499	253	Other	1,305
\$2,500 to \$4,999	315	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	326	Male	1,826
\$10,000 to \$19,999	260	Female	283
\$20,000 to \$24,999	72	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	86	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	50	American Indian or Alaska Native	23
\$50,000 to \$99,999	60	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	32	Black or African American	90
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5
\$500,000 or more	8	White	2,996
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	50,679	More than one race	37
Average per farm (\$)	24,030	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	87
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-4,467		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,118		

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.