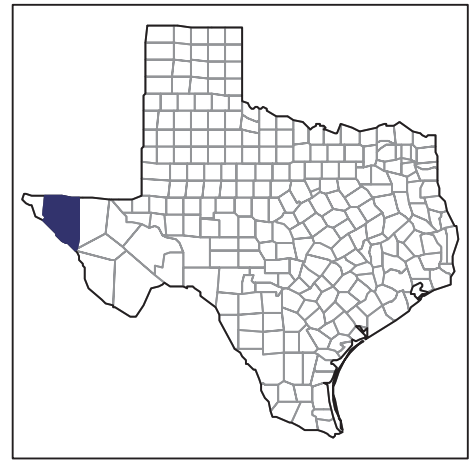


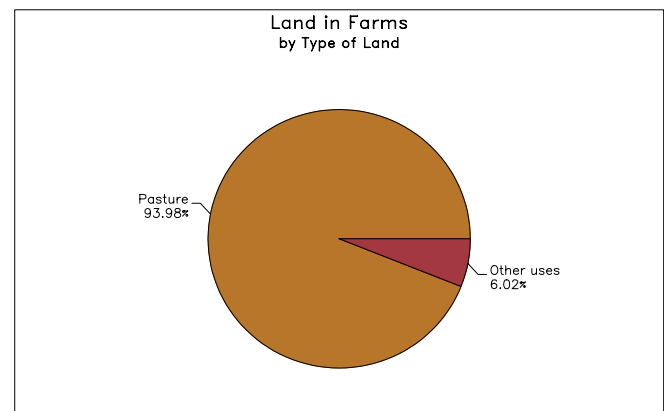
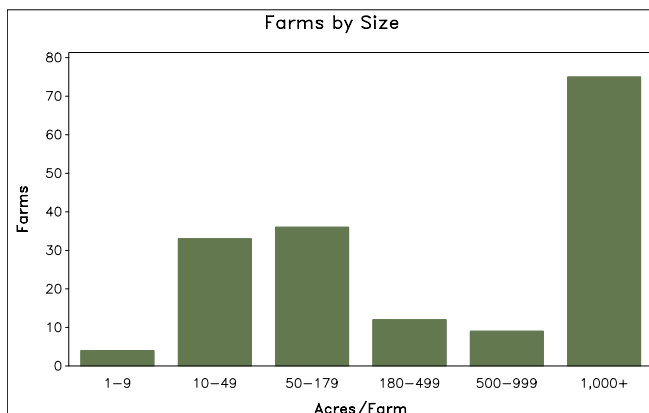
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County Profile

Hudspeth County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	169	131	+ 29
Land in Farms	2,257,579 acres	2,121,727 acres	+ 6
Average Size of Farm	13,358 acres	16,196 acres	- 18
Market Value of Products Sold	\$31,072,000	\$27,177,000	+ 14
Crop Sales \$20,170,000 (65 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,903,000 (35 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$183,861	\$207,458	- 11
Government Payments	\$766,000	\$738,000	+ 4
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$18,234	\$17,581	+ 4



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County Profile

Hudspeth 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	31,072	148	254	1,957	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	20,170	86	253	1,447	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,903	172	254	1,986	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	475	162	244	2,154	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	4,568	67	161	213	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	14	199	348	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	229	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	132	176	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	80	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	9,826	11	252	177	3,054
Poultry and eggs	3	203	240	2,821	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	254	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	39	158	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	-	-	235	-	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	252	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	55	197	253	2,136	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	220	232	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14,126	129	253	1,374	3,060
Cotton, all	8,335	73	161	245	627
Vegetables harvested for sale	2,467	11	199	306	2,794
Peppers, other than Bell	2,467	1	77	4	1,323
Sorghum for silage	430	51	146	213	1,151
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	27,644	156	254	1,105	3,060
Sheep and lambs	(D)	(D)	244	(D)	2,891
Goats, all	2,983	75	252	152	3,023
Horses and ponies	434	212	254	2,382	3,066
Layers	148	197	246	2,750	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	46	Farming	90
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15	Other	79
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	14	Male	153
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Female	16
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$500,000 or more	18	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	30,074	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	177,955	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	280
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,015	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	23,756	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	68

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.