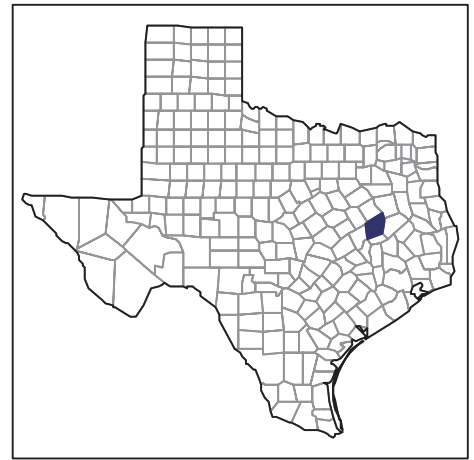


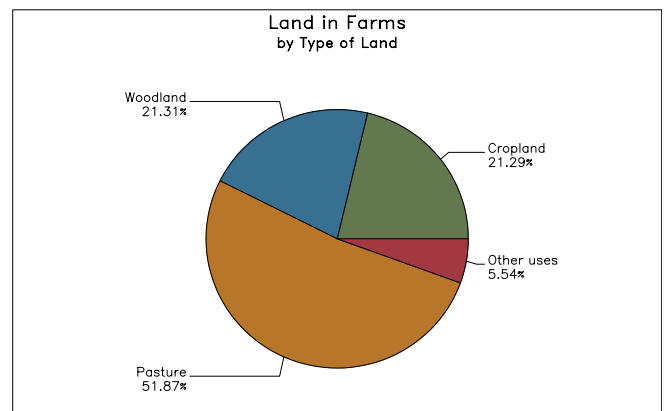
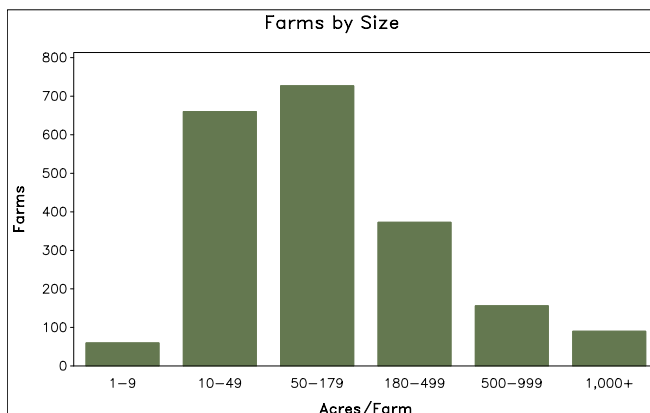
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## County Profile

### Leon County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	2,066	1,908	+ 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	569,101 acres	562,615 acres	+ 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	275 acres	295 acres	- 7
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$85,802,000	\$51,293,000	+ 67
Crop Sales \$8,525,000 (10 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$77,277,000 (90 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$41,530	\$26,883	+ 54
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$197,000	\$149,000	+ 32
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$3,855	\$5,524	- 30



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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	85,802	55	254	1,032	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,525	146	253	1,950	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	77,277	35	254	529	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	76	199	244	2,519	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	161	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	579	59	199	1,009	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	134	131	229	1,262	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	304	98	176	1,645	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	51	33	80	593	1,710
Other crops and hay	7,381	16	252	226	3,054
Poultry and eggs	43,122	15	240	242	3,020
Cattle and calves	32,151	49	254	390	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	99	95	158	2,010	2,493
Hogs and pigs	34	77	235	1,738	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	83	122	252	1,252	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	448	64	253	541	3,024
Aquaculture	400	12	101	381	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	941	12	232	221	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	62,352	11	253	159	3,060
Short-rotation woody crops	320	26	87	135	1,134
Corn for grain	192	134	183	2,230	2,634
Pecans, all	164	116	231	357	1,315
Sorghum for silage	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	1,151
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,337,412	12	172	152	2,476
Layers	(D)	11	246	(D)	3,024
Cattle and calves	82,470	40	254	215	3,060
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	22	197	(D)	2,627
Horses and ponies	3,767	24	254	152	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	570	Farming	946
\$1,000 to \$2,499	266	Other	1,120
\$2,500 to \$4,999	304	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	323	Male	1,781
\$10,000 to \$19,999	234	Female	285
\$20,000 to \$24,999	66	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	102	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	48	American Indian or Alaska Native	31
\$50,000 to \$99,999	78	Asian	10
\$100,000 to \$249,999	40	Black or African American	205
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
\$500,000 or more	27	White	2,858
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	86,494	More than one race	49
Average per farm (\$)	41,865	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	135
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,014		
Average per farm (\$)	975		

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.