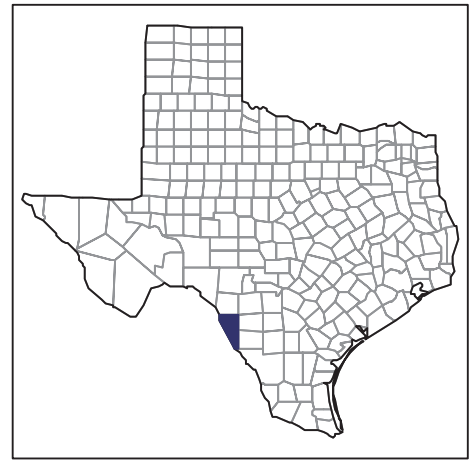


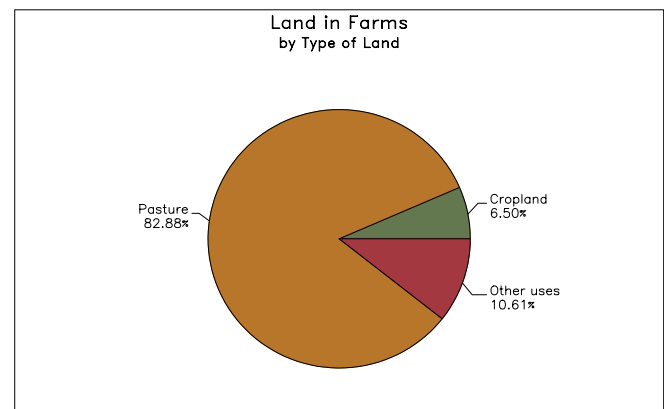
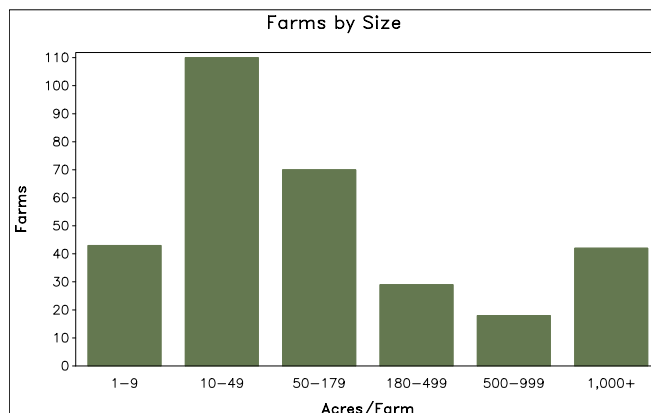
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Maverick County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	312	214	+ 46
Land in Farms	473,683 acres	476,245 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	1,518 acres	2,225 acres	- 32
Market Value of Products Sold	\$26,092,000	\$34,720,000	- 25
Crop Sales \$1,934,000 (7 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$24,158,000 (93 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$83,629	\$162,241	- 48
Government Payments	\$392,000	\$82,000	+ 378
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$21,791	\$9,061	+ 140



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Maverick 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	26,092	165	254	2,081	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,934	210	253	2,595	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	24,158	109	254	1,373	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	(D)	96	199	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	798	42	229	531	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	891	168	252	1,646	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	240	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	23,348	75	254	574	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	158	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	9	156	235	2,288	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	410	45	252	308	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	224	119	253	1,027	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	232	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,458	183	253	2,089	3,060
Pecans, all	(D)	41	231	117	1,315
Sorghum for silage	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	1,151
Oats for grain	(D)	(D)	133	(D)	1,957
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	170	199	(D)	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	25,135	162	254	1,207	3,060
Goats, all	3,548	64	252	115	3,023
Sheep and lambs	1,039	88	244	872	2,891
Horses and ponies	933	146	254	1,470	3,066
Layers	836	127	246	1,776	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	128	Farming	131
\$1,000 to \$2,499	54	Other	181
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	269
\$10,000 to \$19,999	25	Female	43
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	448
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	31,382	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	100,582	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	284
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-3,267		
Average per farm (\$)	-10,471		

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.