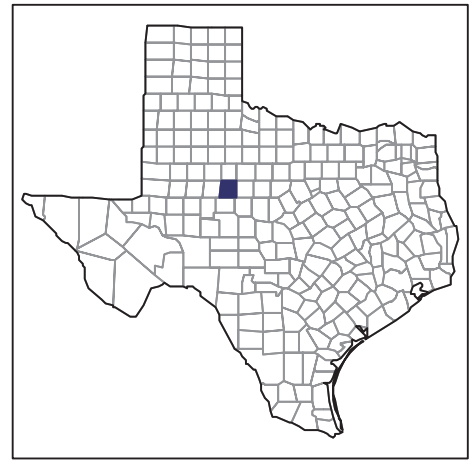


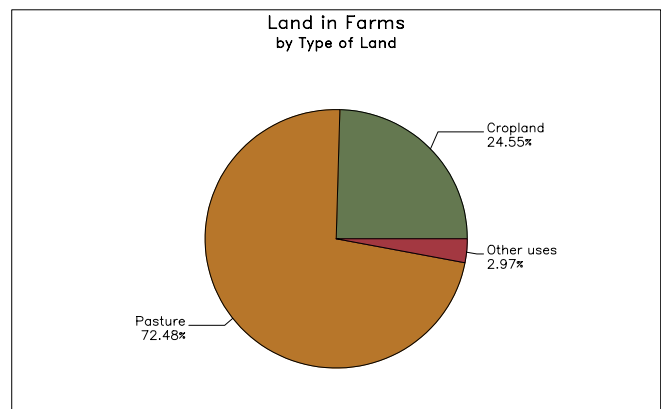
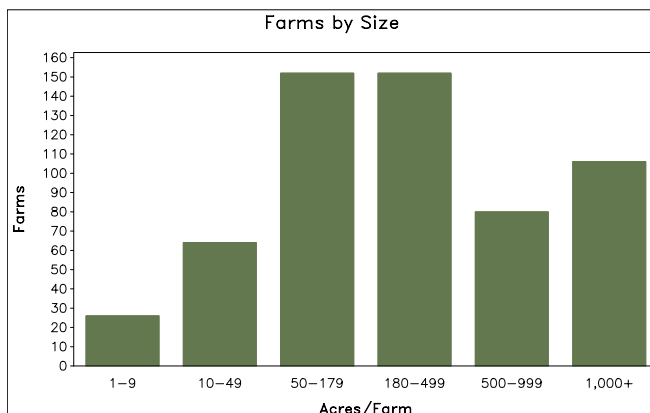
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## County Profile

### Nolan County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	580	516	+ 12
<b>Land in Farms</b>	540,221 acres	481,183 acres	+ 12
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	931 acres	933 acres	0
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$37,124,000	\$13,393,000	+ 177
Crop Sales \$20,797,000 (56 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$16,327,000 (44 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$64,008	\$25,956	+ 147
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$5,288,000	\$2,535,000	+ 109
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$16,680	\$9,567	+ 74



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### Nolan County – Texas

#### 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	37,124	142	254	1,820	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	20,797	84	253	1,429	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,327	140	254	1,680	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,871	115	244	1,674	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	17,608	30	161	70	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	199	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	60	163	229	1,621	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	10	162	176	2,544	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	80	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	248	218	252	2,576	3,054
Poultry and eggs	14	154	240	2,329	3,020
Cattle and calves	15,794	115	254	855	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	158	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	14	133	235	2,125	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	108	111	252	1,050	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	253	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	232	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cotton, all	43,721	31	161	64	627
Wheat for grain, all	10,910	70	199	678	2,481
Sorghum for grain	7,463	73	187	206	1,158
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,700	195	253	2,194	3,060
Sorghum for silage	(D)	(D)	146	(D)	1,151
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	20,605	185	254	1,396	3,060
Goats, all	1,493	121	252	439	3,023
Sheep and lambs	952	92	244	946	2,891
Horses and ponies	702	167	254	1,834	3,066
Deer	505	71	185	139	1,246

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	298	Farming	176
\$1,000 to \$2,499	55	Other	404
\$2,500 to \$4,999	36	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	54	Male	486
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32	Female	94
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	16	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	16	White	823
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	35,203	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	60,694	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	56
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,884		
Average per farm (\$)	17,041		

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.