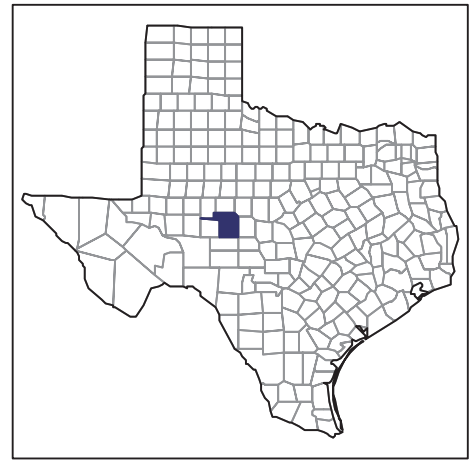


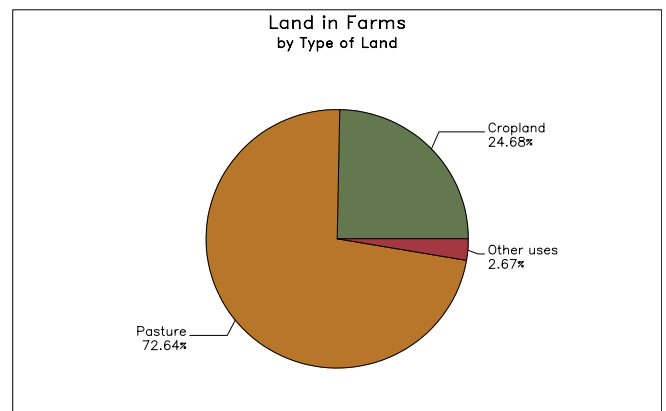
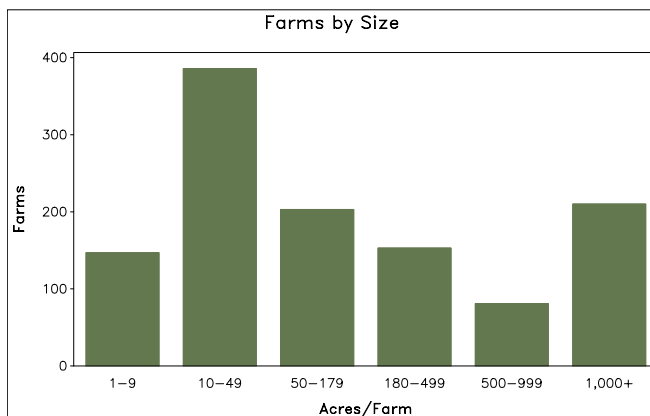
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Tom Green County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,180	1,024	+ 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	923,509 acres	844,695 acres	+ 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	783 acres	825 acres	- 5
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$132,990,000	\$97,223,000	+ 37
Crop Sales \$49,986,000 (38 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$83,005,000 (62 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$112,704	\$94,945	+ 19
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$5,800,000	\$4,287,000	+ 35
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$19,015	\$14,834	+ 28



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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	132,990	30	254	647	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	49,986	37	253	851	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	83,005	32	254	488	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	12,327	52	244	1,162	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	35,444	17	161	32	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	199	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	185	120	229	1,121	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	176	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	56	80	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,700	126	252	1,014	3,054
Poultry and eggs	40	118	240	1,782	3,020
Cattle and calves	55,697	25	254	206	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	15,757	16	158	355	2,493
Hogs and pigs	120	41	235	1,338	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	10,722	1	252	3	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	326	86	253	731	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	342	43	232	497	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cotton, all	83,984	19	161	27	627
Wheat for grain, all	35,474	31	199	360	2,481
Sorghum for grain	30,762	22	187	76	1,158
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	13,660	130	253	1,405	3,060
Corn for grain	2,850	76	183	1,587	2,634
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Sheep and lambs	56,923	3	244	11	2,891
Cattle and calves	55,745	83	254	487	3,060
Goats, all	43,797	4	252	4	3,023
Horses and ponies	1,855	87	254	633	3,066
Layers	1,812	87	246	1,163	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	479	Farming	442
\$1,000 to \$2,499	148	Other	738
\$2,500 to \$4,999	138	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	98	Male	1,041
\$10,000 to \$19,999	58	Female	139
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	55	Asian	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	70	Black or African American	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	31	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	46	White	1,704
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	119,194	More than one race	15
Average per farm (\$)	101,012	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	171
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	24,536		
Average per farm (\$)	20,793		

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.