

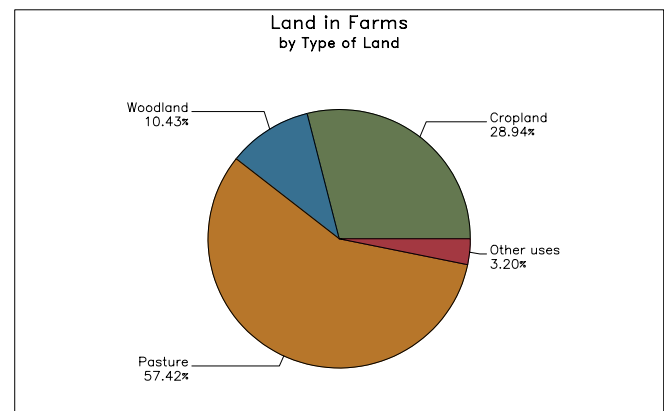
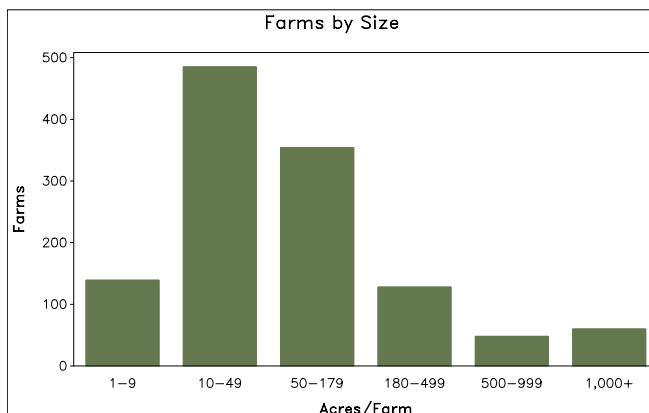
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Travis County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,214	1,306	- 7
Land in Farms	262,481 acres	298,426 acres	- 12
Average Size of Farm	216 acres	229 acres	- 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$22,833,000	\$17,116,000	+ 33
Crop Sales \$15,411,000 (67 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$7,422,000 (33 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$18,808	\$13,106	+ 44
Government Payments	\$1,036,000	\$721,000	+ 44
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,988	\$4,591	+ 30



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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	22,833	173	254	2,172	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	15,411	107	253	1,619	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	7,422	201	254	2,225	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,293	80	244	1,403	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	850	102	161	377	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	134	199	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,234	24	229	414	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,700	41	176	576	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	70	80	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	3,227	76	252	518	3,054
Poultry and eggs	159	68	240	1,305	3,020
Cattle and calves	6,123	193	254	1,573	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	105	92	158	1,995	2,493
Hogs and pigs	55	62	235	1,557	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	299	54	252	426	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	538	58	253	451	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	142	82	232	837	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,931	103	253	1,094	3,060
Corn for grain	12,915	39	183	1,087	2,634
Sorghum for grain	11,319	58	187	161	1,158
Cotton, all	2,445	98	161	363	627
Wheat for grain, all	2,160	117	199	1,333	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	24,179	166	254	1,239	3,060
Layers	6,321	46	246	755	3,024
Goats, all	5,919	48	252	62	3,023
Horses and ponies	2,665	49	254	337	3,066
Sheep and lambs	1,568	69	244	619	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	440	Farming	437
\$1,000 to \$2,499	210	Other	777
\$2,500 to \$4,999	157	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	156	Male	943
\$10,000 to \$19,999	73	Female	271
\$20,000 to \$24,999	28	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	53	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	21
\$50,000 to \$99,999	39	Asian	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	22	Black or African American	47
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	8	White	1,719
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	29,109	More than one race	15
Average per farm (\$)	23,978	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	144
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-2,615		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,154		

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.