

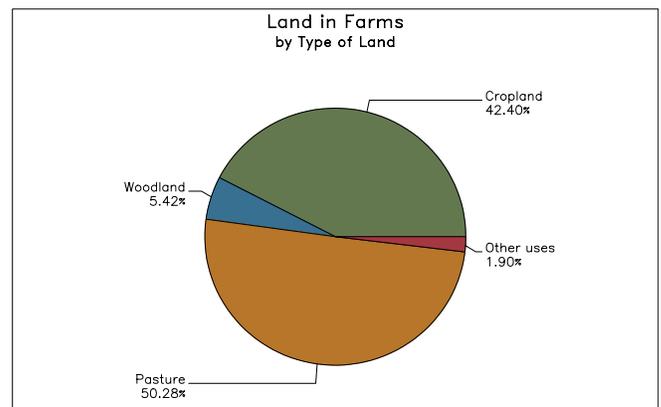
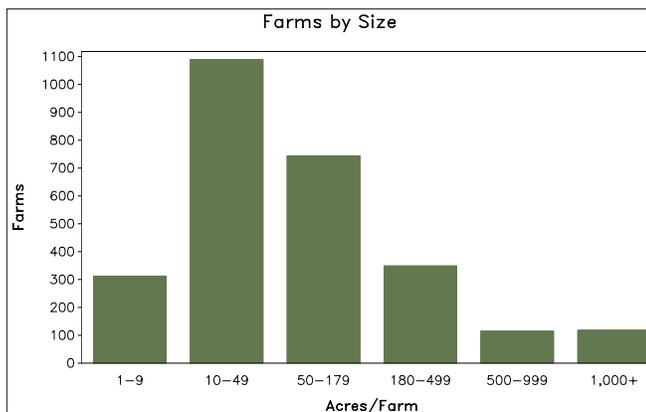
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Williamson County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	2,728	2,510	+ 9
Land in Farms	541,618 acres	583,099 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	199 acres	232 acres	- 14
Market Value of Products Sold	\$190,391,000	\$46,396,000	+ 310
Crop Sales \$54,513,000 (29 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$135,879,000 (71 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$69,792	\$18,484	+ 278
Government Payments	\$5,108,000	\$3,097,000	+ 65
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,276	\$6,282	+ 16



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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	190,391	26	254	352	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	54,513	33	253	785	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	135,879	23	254	244	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	37,004	17	244	732	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	9,242	44	161	130	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	132	199	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	608	63	229	645	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,230	44	176	625	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	72	80	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	4,318	57	252	389	3,054
Poultry and eggs	173	66	240	1,290	3,020
Cattle and calves	134,303	16	254	65	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	156	158	2,459	2,493
Hogs and pigs	48	68	235	1,603	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	667	32	252	189	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	618	48	253	383	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	66	101	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	64	123	232	1,246	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	84,306	5	183	361	2,634
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	46,985	32	253	329	3,060
Sorghum for grain	21,848	31	187	106	1,158
Cotton, all	21,225	48	161	131	627
Wheat for grain, all	7,728	86	199	807	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	79,132	43	254	231	3,060
Quail	(D)	15	135	(D)	1,386
Goats, all	11,550	24	252	26	3,023
Sheep and lambs	5,504	33	244	187	2,891
Layers	4,753	53	246	801	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	893	Farming	1,009
\$1,000 to \$2,499	472	Other	1,719
\$2,500 to \$4,999	368	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	352	Male	2,309
\$10,000 to \$19,999	227	Female	419
\$20,000 to \$24,999	73	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	97	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	34	American Indian or Alaska Native	34
\$50,000 to \$99,999	74	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	62	Black or African American	19
\$250,000 to \$499,999	29	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	47	White	4,011
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	160,020	More than one race	31
Average per farm (\$)	58,658	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	221
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	39,298		
Average per farm (\$)	14,405		

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.