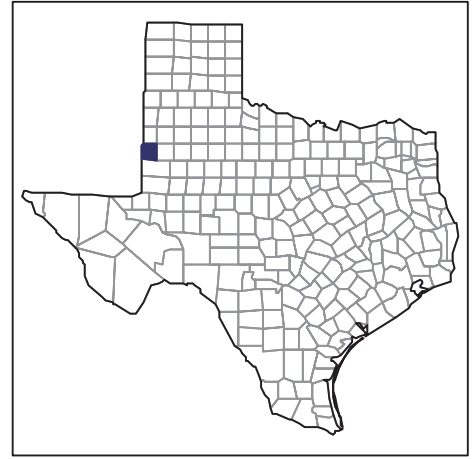


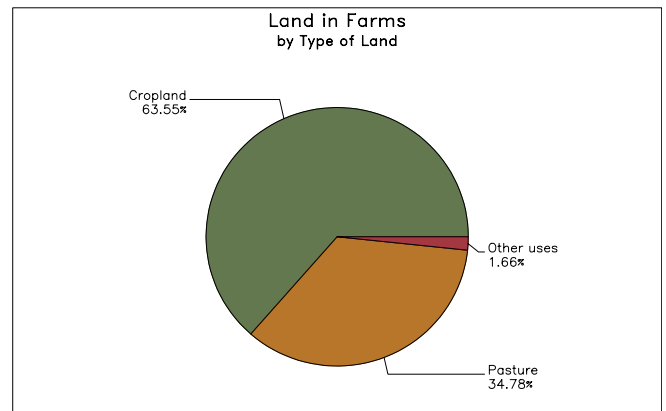
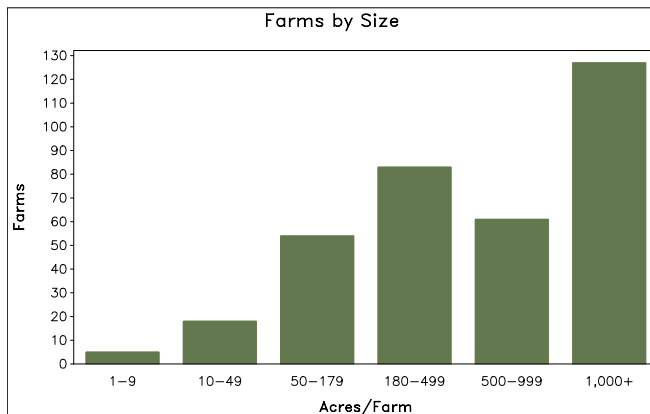
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## County Profile

### Yoakum County Texas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	348	298	+ 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	443,540 acres	454,981 acres	- 3
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	1,275 acres	1,527 acres	- 17
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$90,130,000	\$49,893,000	+ 81
Crop Sales \$81,198,000 (90 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,932,000 (10 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$258,995	\$167,427	+ 55
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$11,394,000	\$5,413,000	+ 110
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$41,585	\$24,718	+ 68



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### Yoakum 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	90,130	52	254	986	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	81,198	24	253	506	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,932	186	254	2,112	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7,708	68	244	1,333	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	44,874	14	161	23	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4,573	13	199	347	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	504	75	229	713	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	23,538	3	252	73	3,054
Poultry and eggs	12	159	240	2,381	3,020
Cattle and calves	8,888	169	254	1,289	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	158	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	235	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	23	202	252	2,207	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	249	253	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	101	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	232	-	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cotton, all	116,260	15	161	19	627
Peanuts for nuts	26,192	2	70	6	347
Sorghum for grain	19,745	36	187	113	1,158
Wheat for grain, all	11,716	67	199	651	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,271	163	253	1,896	3,060
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	10,821	229	254	1,934	3,060
Quail	(D)	35	135	(D)	1,386
Goats, all	722	181	252	1,059	3,023
Layers	182	189	246	2,693	3,024
Horses and ponies	166	250	254	2,905	3,066

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	167	Farming	187
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	161
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13	Male	268
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Female	80
\$25,000 to \$39,999	5		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	35	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	31	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$500,000 or more	62	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	64,528	Black or African American	2
Average per farm (\$)	185,424	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	474
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	40,517	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	116,428	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	21

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.