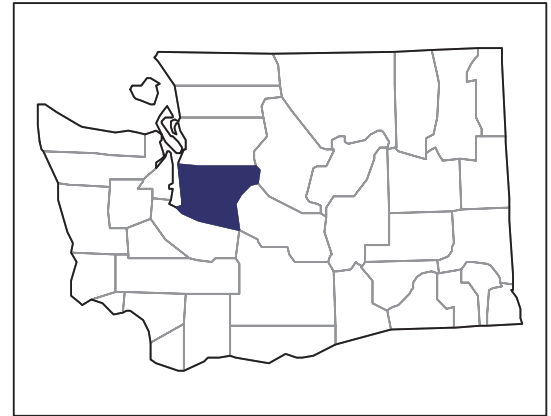


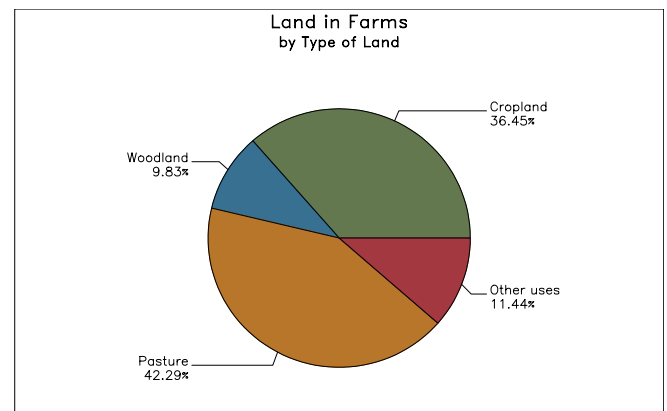
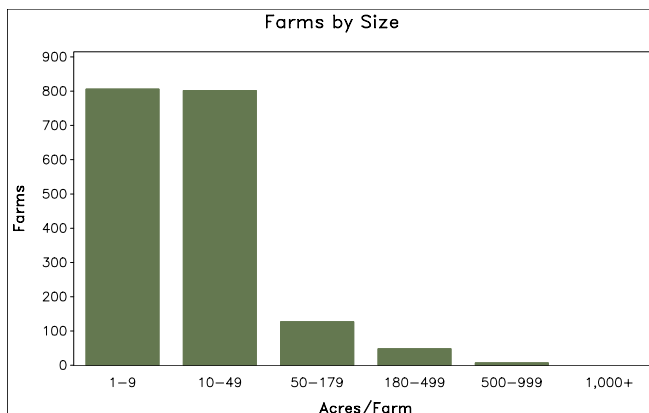
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

King County Washington



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,790	1,548	+ 16
Land in Farms	49,285 acres	41,769 acres	+ 18
Average Size of Farm	28 acres	27 acres	+ 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$127,269,000	\$120,055,000	+ 6
Crop Sales \$45,696,000 (36 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$81,573,000 (64 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$71,100	\$77,555	- 8
Government Payments	\$316,000	\$803,000	- 61
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,075	\$10,850	- 44



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

King County – Washington

Ranked items among the 39 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	127,269	13	39	686	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	45,696	16	39	917	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	81,573	8	39	494	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	444	24	36	2,172	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	10	37	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,293	22	39	397	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	33,686	4	38	102	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	604	26	39	2,007	3,054
Poultry and eggs	211	17	39	1,247	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	39	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	34,735	7	34	208	2,493
Hogs and pigs	99	15	37	1,381	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	193	12	39	648	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	1	39	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	1	34	6	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	2,011	2	39	90	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,641	26	39	2,206	3,060
Corn for silage	1,181	11	25	916	2,263
Vegetables harvested for sale	960	19	37	536	2,794
Floriculture crops	390	2	32	22	1,815
Cut Christmas trees	367	8	35	173	1,756
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	24,524	13	39	1,230	3,060
Layers	9,057	9	39	715	3,024
Horses and ponies	6,941	1	39	26	3,066
Mink and their pelts	(D)	4	5	68	123
Alpacas	2,302	1	32	1	1,496

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	708	Farming	753
\$1,000 to \$2,499	265	Other	1,037
\$2,500 to \$4,999	169	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	199	Male	1,136
\$10,000 to \$19,999	137	Female	654
\$20,000 to \$24,999	37	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	104	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	American Indian or Alaska Native	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	46	Asian	155
\$100,000 to \$249,999	38	Black or African American	15
\$250,000 to \$499,999	20	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	17
\$500,000 or more	40	White	2,699
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	115,748	More than one race	32
Average per farm (\$)	64,664	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	46
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	23,943		
Average per farm (\$)	13,376		

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.