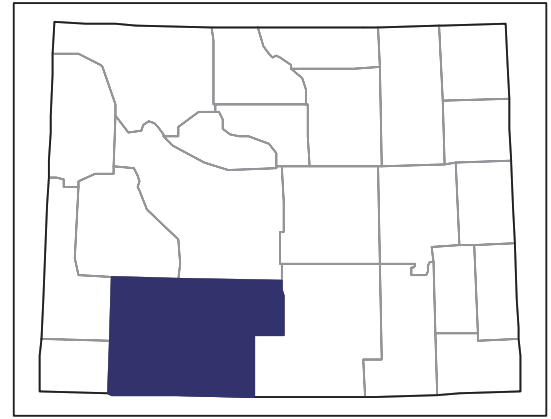


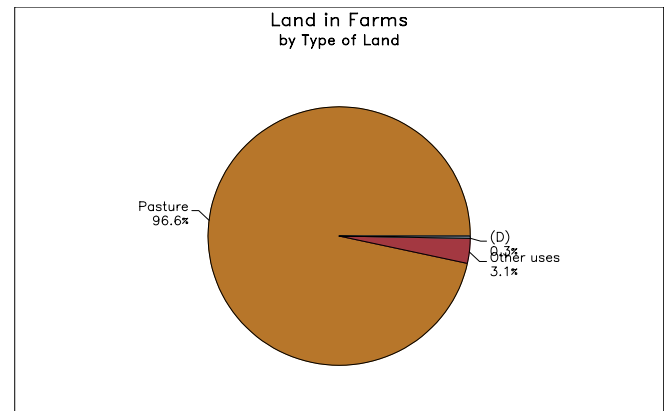
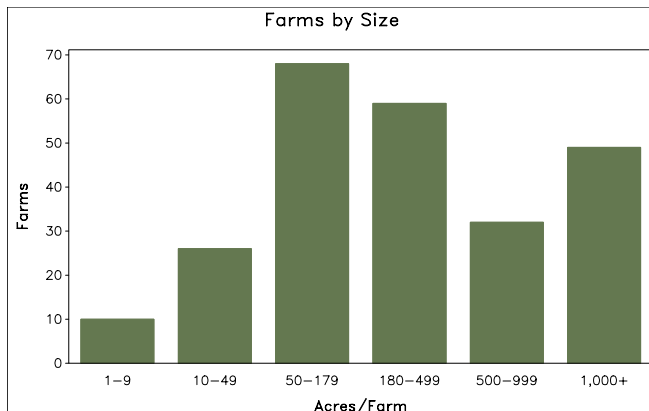
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## County Profile

### Sweetwater County Wyoming



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	244	170	+ 44
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,486,395 acres	1,480,246 acres	0
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	6,092 acres	8,707 acres	- 30
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$14,506,000	\$7,098,000	+ 104
Crop Sales \$4,343,000 (30 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,163,000 (70 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$59,451	\$41,755	+ 42
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$281,000	\$725,000	- 61
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,039	\$18,130	- 56



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### Sweetwater County – Wyoming

#### Ranked items among the 23 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	14,506	21	23	2,431	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,343	12	23	2,309	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,163	22	23	2,035	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	311	15	23	2,252	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	15	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	6	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	16	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	3	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	4,032	11	23	413	3,054
Poultry and eggs	23	7	22	2,071	3,020
Cattle and calves	8,996	22	23	1,277	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	6	8	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	16	16	22	2,079	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	14	23	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	87	23	23	1,818	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	11	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	49	19	23	1,370	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	31,255	16	23	653	3,060
Barley for grain	851	8	18	277	1,154
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	10	17	1,931	2,481
Sunflower seed, all	(D)	4	5	(D)	620
Corn for grain	(D)	12	13	(D)	2,634
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	19,297	22	23	1,457	3,060
Sheep and lambs	(D)	10	23	(D)	2,891
Horses and ponies	1,269	22	23	1,079	3,066
Pheasants	(D)	4	11	(D)	1,544
Colonies of bees	765	8	19	507	2,640

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	75	Farming	95
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	149
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	Male	207
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22	Female	37
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	26	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	5	White	405
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,315	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	46,373	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	12
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,928		
Average per farm (\$)	16,100		

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.