

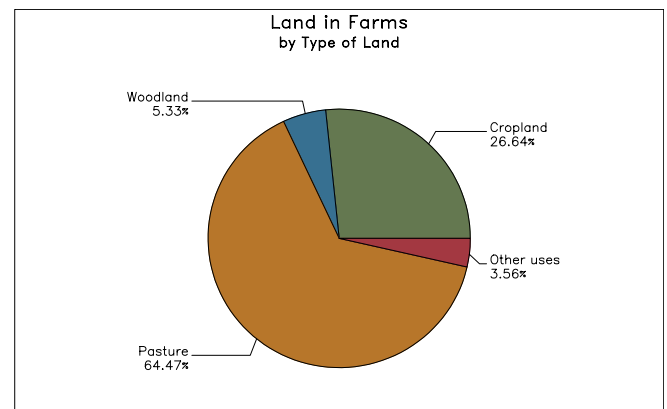
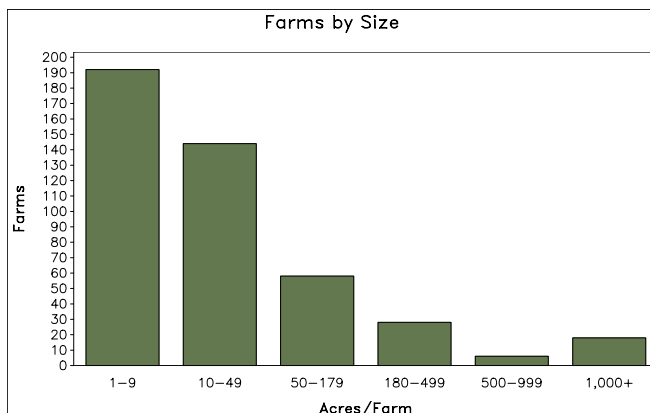
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## Congressional District Profile

### California 15th District



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	704	342	+ 106
<b>Number of Farms</b>	446	204	+ 119
<b>Land in Farms</b>	68,249 acres	26,740 acres	+ 155
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	153 acres	131 acres	+ 17
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	13,472 acres	8,739 acres	+ 54
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$125,508,000	\$63,826,000	+ 97
Average Per Farm	\$281,407	\$312,875	- 10
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$1,870,000	\$891,000	+ 110
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$89,000	\$24,000	+ 271
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,817	\$3,480	+ 96



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Ranked items among the 53 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	125,508	28	53	252	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	121,574	23	53	192	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,933	31	50	326	415
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	419	22	32	300	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	10	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	84,198	13	43	41	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	8,943	25	49	104	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	27,130	28	53	159	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	169	10	29	184	328
Other crops and hay	716	20	40	298	389
Poultry and eggs	720	23	42	246	395
Cattle and calves	(D)	29	44	(D)	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	28	30	327	343
Hogs and pigs	31	21	35	307	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	47	27	40	309	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	289	28	45	327	401
Aquaculture	(D)	28	32	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	11	39	(D)	395
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Vegetables harvested for sale	9,776	15	43	93	401
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,781	21	42	313	398
Peppers, Bell (excluding pimientos)	2,380	3	31	5	349
Sweet corn	1,939	5	35	52	375
Lettuce, all	1,509	11	35	15	328
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	54,000	9	25	134	345
Cattle and calves	3,754	26	44	301	396
Horses and ponies	1,138	29	49	324	416
Layers	476	32	42	346	395
Pigeons or squab	438	16	26	169	326

### Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	135	Farming	211
\$1,000 to \$2,499	43	Other	235
\$2,500 to \$4,999	47	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	Male	355
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Female	91
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	Asian	62
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
\$500,000 or more	24	White	608
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	108,519	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	243,315	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	69
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	18,947		
Average per farm (\$)	42,483		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.