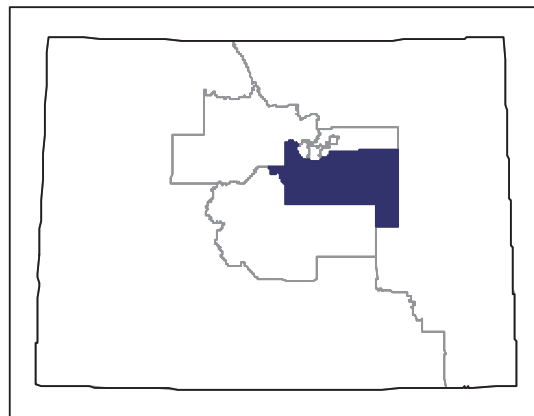


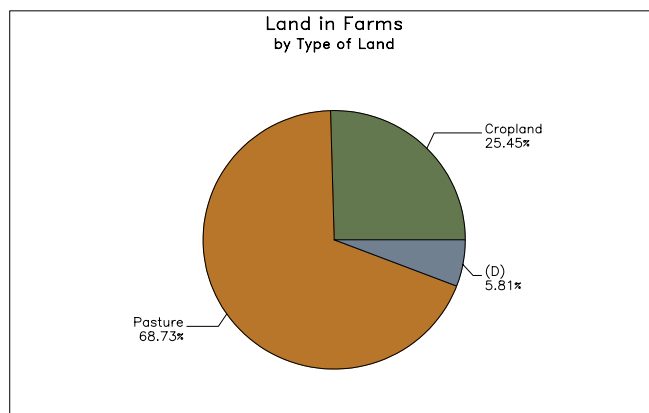
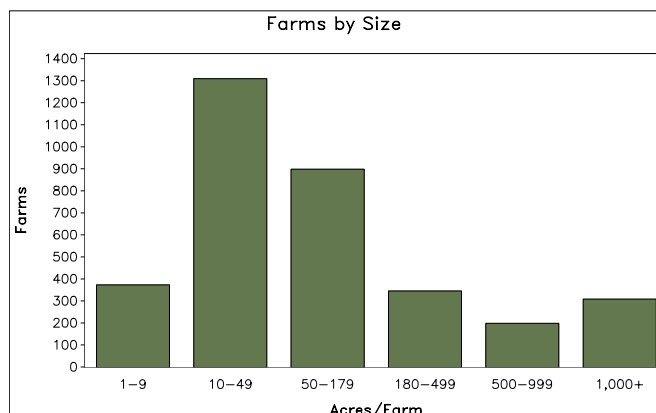
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Congressional District Profile

Colorado 6th District



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	5,693	4,713	+ 21
Number of Farms	3,431	2,754	+ 25
Land in Farms	1,649,566 acres	1,676,376 acres	- 2
Average Size of Farm	481 acres	609 acres	- 21
Irrigated Land	20,936 acres	14,190 acres	+ 48
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$75,678,000	(D)	
Average Per Farm	\$22,057	(D)	
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$14,195,000	\$5,806,000	+ 144
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Government Payments	\$4,489,000	\$3,701,000	+ 21
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,351	\$7,993	+ 17



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Ranked items among the 7 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	75,678	4	7	283	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	5	7	(D)	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	4	7	247	415
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	17,490	4	7	174	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	123	6	7	363	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	6	6	376	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	7	7	(D)	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	76	3	6	235	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	3	7	170	389
Poultry and eggs	192	6	7	291	395
Cattle and calves	31,950	3	7	174	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	6	6	290	343
Hogs and pigs	380	4	7	212	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	273	6	6	219	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	5,477	3	7	45	401
Aquaculture	(D)	5	5	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	3	6	(D)	395
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	90,341	3	7	145	398
Wheat for grain, all	81,682	3	7	51	319
Proso millet	(D)	3	4	5	42
Corn for grain	6,965	4	6	207	343
Sunflower seed, all	5,290	4	5	13	159
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	59,951	4	7	209	396
Horses and ponies	13,378	3	7	99	416
Layers	5,942	5	7	267	395
Sheep and lambs	2,465	5	7	190	383
Alpacas	2,414	1	7	4	339

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	1,590	Farming	1,117
\$1,000 to \$2,499	453	Other	2,314
\$2,500 to \$4,999	349	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	328	Male	2,517
\$10,000 to \$19,999	218	Female	914
\$20,000 to \$24,999	64	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	116	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	42	American Indian or Alaska Native	59
\$50,000 to \$99,999	126	Asian	16
\$100,000 to \$249,999	79	Black or African American	14
\$250,000 to \$499,999	40	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12
\$500,000 or more	26	White	5,445
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	101,080	More than one race	81
Average per farm (\$)	29,461	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	153
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-6,718		
Average per farm (\$)	-1,958		

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.

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