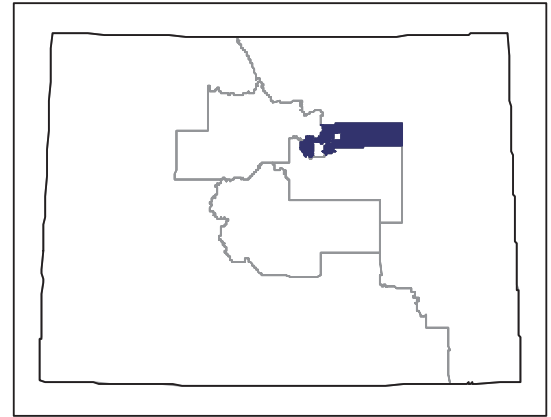


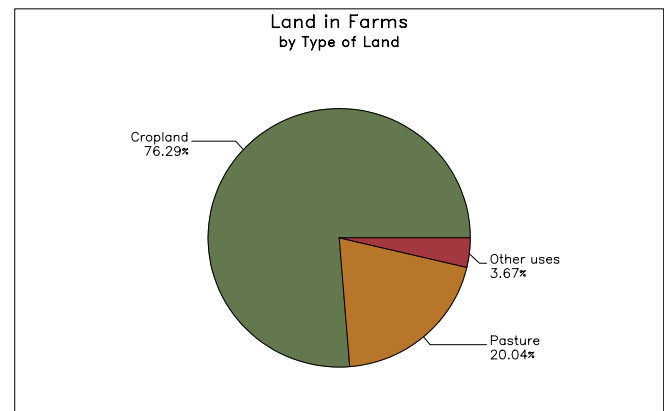
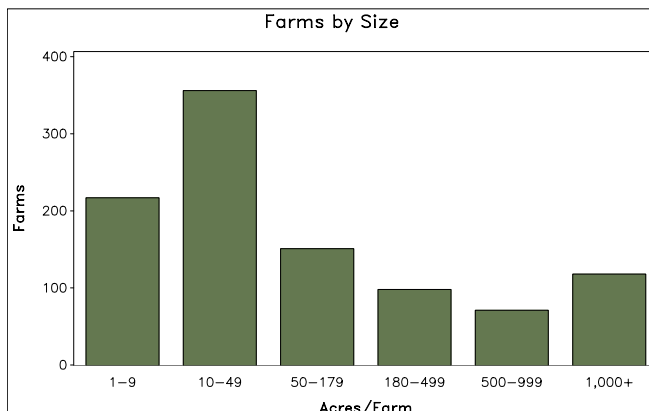
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## Congressional District Profile

### Colorado 7th District



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	1,687	1,376	+ 23
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,011	847	+ 19
<b>Land in Farms</b>	717,492 acres	710,047 acres	+ 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	710 acres	838 acres	- 15
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	16,618 acres	27,961 acres	- 41
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$156,078,000	\$106,077,000	+ 47
Average Per Farm	\$154,380	\$125,239	+ 23
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$6,605,000	\$2,527,000	+ 161
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$6,218,000	\$3,840,000	+ 62
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$18,342	\$14,825	+ 24



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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 <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	156,078	3	7	239	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	3	7	180	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	6	7	277	415
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	40,067	3	7	136	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	4	7	(D)	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	334	3	6	319	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	90,683	2	7	53	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	5	6	6	313	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	6	7	231	389
Poultry and eggs	406	3	7	262	395
Cattle and calves	(D)	6	7	246	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	6,022	5	6	231	343
Hogs and pigs	(D)	2	7	(D)	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	317	5	6	209	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	6	7	(D)	401
Aquaculture	-	-	5	-	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	5	6	(D)	395
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	198,478	2	7	27	319
Proso millet	(D)	2	4	4	42
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	(D)	6	7	253	398
Corn for grain	15,525	3	6	179	343
Sunflower seed, all	14,142	2	5	8	159
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	15,644	6	7	267	396
Layers	3,363	6	7	290	395
Horses and ponies	2,886	6	7	274	416
Sheep and lambs	2,470	4	7	189	383
Hogs and pigs	2,308	3	7	202	371

### Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	461	Farming	350
\$1,000 to \$2,499	78	Other	661
\$2,500 to \$4,999	96	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	92	Male	849
\$10,000 to \$19,999	68	Female	162
\$20,000 to \$24,999	14	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	33	Asian	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	60	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	28	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	49	White	1,600
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	135,177	More than one race	24
Average per farm (\$)	133,706	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	47
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	33,724		
Average per farm (\$)	33,357		

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.