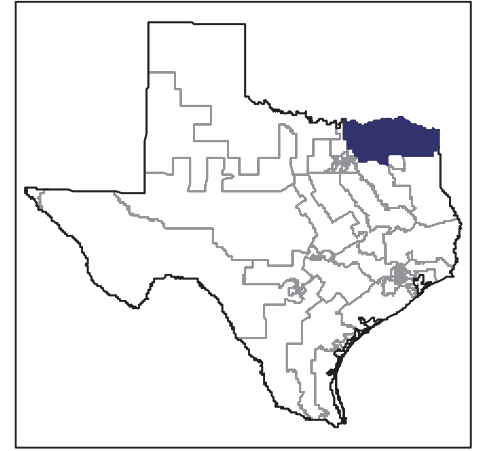


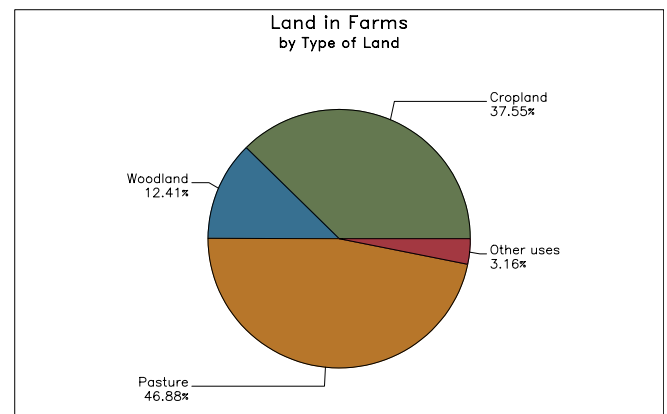
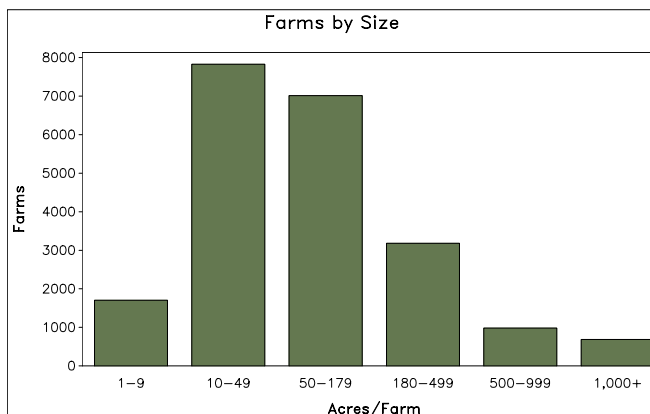
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Congressional District Profile

Texas 4th District



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	32,158	29,020	+ 11
Number of Farms	21,386	19,835	+ 8
Land in Farms	4,063,008 acres	4,169,271 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	190 acres	210 acres	- 10
Irrigated Land	38,464 acres	33,864 acres	+ 14
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,000,258,000	\$680,909,000	+ 47
Average Per Farm	\$46,772	\$34,329	+ 36
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$27,198,000	\$17,455,000	+ 56
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Government Payments	\$15,129,000	\$13,176,000	+ 15
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,466	\$6,615	- 17



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Texas 4th District

Ranked items among the 32 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	1,000,258	5	32	87	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	198,282	10	32	141	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	801,975	4	32	52	415
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	94,366	7	31	91	371
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	81
Cotton and cottonseed	1,702	16	21	72	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4,486	11	30	228	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	5,580	9	30	133	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	26,167	10	32	162	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1,211	2	21	53	328
Other crops and hay	64,771	3	32	40	389
Poultry and eggs	(D)	2	32	27	395
Cattle and calves	232,786	6	32	44	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	128,523	5	23	64	343
Hogs and pigs	757	11	30	189	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	1,693	8	31	72	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	16,021	1	32	9	401
Aquaculture	(D)	7	23	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	11	32	(D)	395
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	694,830	1	32	18	398
Wheat for grain, all	150,117	4	25	33	319
Corn for grain	100,878	7	29	94	343
Sorghum for grain	51,194	11	24	22	219
Soybeans for beans	35,635	1	23	118	262
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	2	25	14	345
Layers	(D)	4	32	(D)	395
Cattle and calves	754,820	4	32	26	396
Pullets for laying flock replacement	468,526	5	29	62	356
Horses and ponies	45,902	1	32	10	416

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	7,217	Farming	8,199
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2,844	Other	13,187
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2,652	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2,934	Male	18,489
\$10,000 to \$19,999	2,156	Female	2,897
\$20,000 to \$24,999	599	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	947	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	375	American Indian or Alaska Native	436
\$50,000 to \$99,999	661	Asian	82
\$100,000 to \$249,999	395	Black or African American	737
\$250,000 to \$499,999	204	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	13
\$500,000 or more	402	White	30,169
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	921,625	More than one race	350
Average per farm (\$)	43,095	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	865
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	120,960		
Average per farm (\$)	5,656		

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.