



# 2002 Census of Agriculture Senate District Profile

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## Senate District 40, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	484
Land in farms (acres)	51,776
Average size of farm (acres)	107
Irrigated Acres	576
Total Number of Farm Operators	711
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Market Value of Production (dollars)	17,445,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	36,044
Government Payments (dollars)	329,000
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	3,874
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	813,000

### FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	64
10-49 Acres/Farm	154
50-179 Acres/Farm	186
180-499 Acres/Farm	68
500-999 Acres/Farm	9
1,000+ Acres/Farm	3

### LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	433
Farms with Woodland	300
Farms with Other	336
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	181

Quantity      State Rank      Universe 2/

### MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)

Total value of agricultural products sold	17,445	32	50
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### VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/

Grains and oilseeds	905	32	42
Tobacco	-		15
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	3,676	14	45
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	556	28	43
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	5,463	22	49
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	178	28	41
Poultry and eggs	399	24	40
Cattle and calves	1,250	28	43
Milk products	3,141	32	39
Hogs and pigs	255	24	41
Sheep, goats, and their products	32	29	42
Horses, ponies, mules	185	29	39
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	32

**Senate District 40, Pennsylvania, (continued)**

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	6,688	26	45
Layers 20 weeks old and older	5,213	27	42
Quail	(D)	(D)	37
Pheasants	(D)	(D)	38
Hogs and pigs	1,115	30	40
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<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	13,458	25	45
Corn for grain	5,369	31	43
Corn for silage	1,628	29	40
Oats	1,477	21	39
All Vegetables harvested	1,158	15	45
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<b>FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES</b>			
Less than \$1,000	147		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	63		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	63		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	33		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	17		
\$500,000 or more	2		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	18,750		
Average per farm (dollars)	35,179		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	1,488		
Average per farm (dollars)	2,791		
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION</b>			
Farming	272		
Other	212		
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER</b>			
Male	395		
Female	89		
Average age of principal operator (years)	54		
<b>ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/</b>			
White	696		
Black or African American	-		
American Indian or Alaska Native	-		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-		
Asian	-		
More than one race	-		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	-		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

2/ Universe is the number of senate districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 50 senate districts.

3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.