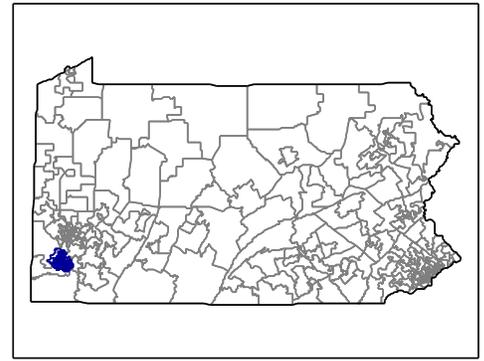


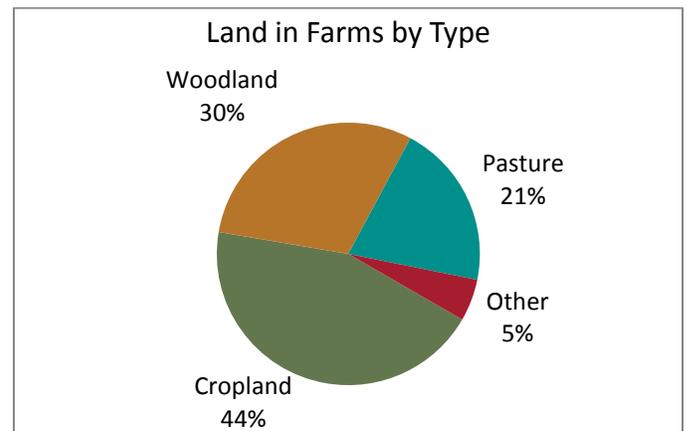
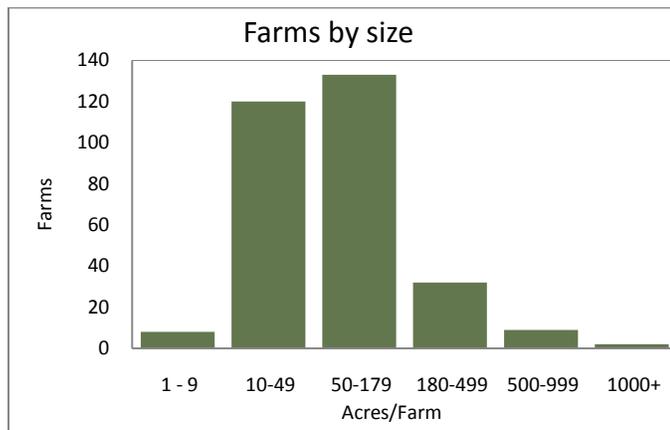
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	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	492	702	- 30
<b>Number of Farms</b>	304	463	- 34
<b>Land in Farms</b>	38,338 acres	51,628 acres	- 26
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	126 acres	112 acres	+ 13
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	47 acres	187 acres	- 75
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$4,711,000	\$6,143,000	- 23
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$15,496	\$13,267	+ 17
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$673,000	\$746,000	- 10
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$164,000	\$253,000	- 35
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,902	\$3,130	+ 25



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#### Ranked items among the 203 house districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	4,711	106	176
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,603	103	171
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	2,108	99	165
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	304	105	143
Tobacco	-	-	30
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	113	120	148
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	175	86	140
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	961	75	152
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	5	107	125
Other crops and hay	1,044	51	152
Poultry and eggs	21	98	147
Cattle and calves	1,022	75	149
Milk and other dairy products from cows	683	104	128
Hogs and pigs	12	100	128
Sheep, goats, and their products	125	31	134
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	238	37	135
Aquaculture	-	-	83
Other animals and other animal products	8	100	130
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	11,354	56	157
Corn for grain	667	108	142
Corn for silage or greenchop	538	82	128
Oats for grain	233	65	123
Soybeans for beans	223	104	121
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	3,565	76	151
Sheep and lambs	2,086	15	138
Layers	1,087	79	141
Horses and ponies	612	64	156
Goats, all	249	69	138

#### Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	88	Farming	120
\$1,000 to \$2,499	48	Other	184
\$2,500 to \$4,999	60	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	Male	250
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29	Female	54
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	59
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	White	477
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,369	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	17,662	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	179		
Average per farm (\$)	588		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.