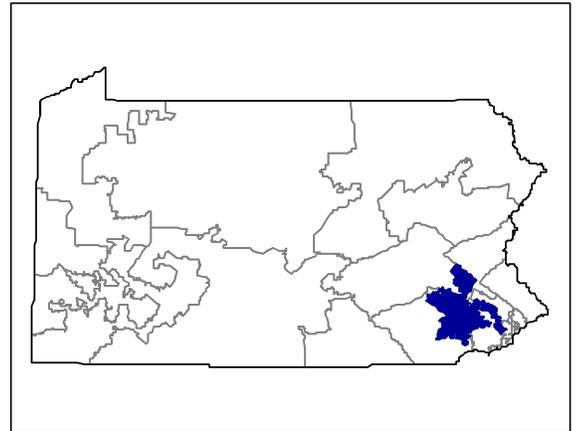




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Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.



District 6, Pennsylvania

Number of farms: 1,662

Land in farms: 142,425 acres

Average size of farm: 86 acres

Irrigated Land: 1,391 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 2,514

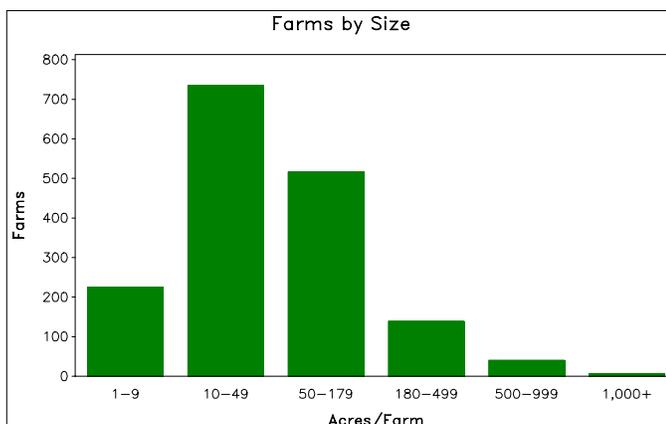
Market Value of Production: \$92,995,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$55,954

Government Payments: \$2,021,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$8,184

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$5,661,000



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Congressional District Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania Agricultural Statistics Service**

District 6, Pennsylvania

Ranked items among the 19 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

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	92,995	9	19	259	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,770	11	17	196	371
Tobacco	383	4	10	61	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,479	14	18	259	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,332	8	18	152	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	14,021	11	18	263	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1,232	10	17	53	349
Poultry and eggs	11,374	6	16	161	382
Cattle and calves	8,497	9	17	238	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	36,158	9	16	123	339
Hogs and pigs	2,735	7	17	122	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	81	14	17	268	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,083	9	16	214	398
Aquaculture	504	7	15	165	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers 20 weeks old and older	539,884	7	17	123	387
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	65,278	8	16	132	354
Turkeys	42,089	8	16	75	356
Cattle and calves	33,671	10	17	239	394
Quail ³	(D)	(D)	16	(D)	313
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	30,026	12	17	224	391
Corn for grain	23,964	11	17	148	327
Soybeans	12,670	10	17	158	269
Corn for silage	11,680	9	16	105	330
All Wheat for grain	4,395	10	16	200	323

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	545	Farming	945
\$1,000 to \$2,499	165	Other	717
\$2,500 to \$4,999	148		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	133	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	133	Male	1,404
\$20,000 to \$24,999	41	Female	258
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ⁴	56		
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ⁴	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	101		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	238	All operators ⁵ by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	56	White	2,443
\$500,000 or more	26	Black or African American	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ⁴	78,383	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
Average per farm (\$) ⁴	51,670	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	21,456	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$) ⁴	14,144	All operators ⁵ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	25

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.

⁴ Value corrected January 2005.

⁵ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.