

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Mora, New Mexico

Number of farms

410 farms in 2002, 444 farms in 1997, down 8 percent.

Land in farms

954,572 acres in 2002, 995,463 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

Average size of farm

2,328 acres in 2002, 2,242 acres in 1997, up 4 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$14,630,000 in 2002, \$10,943,000 in 1997, up 34 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$966,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$13,664,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

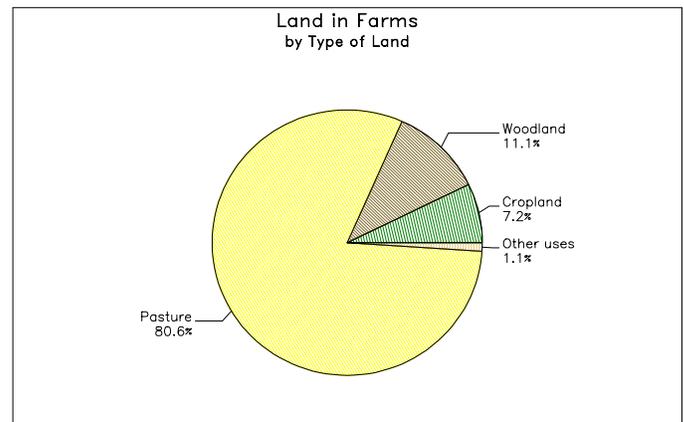
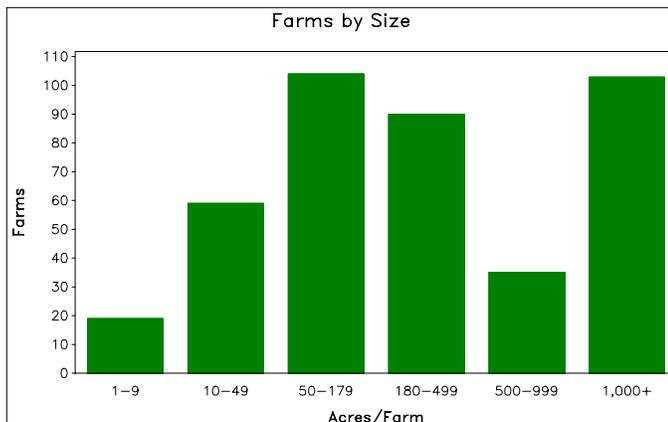
\$35,684 in 2002, \$24,647 in 1997, up 45 percent.

Government Payments

\$215,000 in 2002, \$207,000 in 1997, up 4 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$3,165 in 2002, \$9,388 in 1997, down 66 percent.



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Ranked items among the 33 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 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	14,630	19	33	2,285	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	966	23	33	2,742	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	13,664	15	33	1,617	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	26	-	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	10	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	29	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	368	11	30	640	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	29	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	534	23	33	1,847	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	30	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	13,061	10	33	799	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	18	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	1	28	32	2,782	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	32	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	251	13	33	900	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	11	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	30	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	26,427	20	33	1,175	3,059
Horses and ponies	1,103	21	33	1,147	3,065
Sheep and lambs	674	19	32	1,243	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	504	20	32	1,897	2,983
Llamas	372	3	25	63	2,112
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,528	16	33	2,117	3,059
Cut Christmas trees	(D)	1	9	(D)	1,877
All Field and grass seed crops	84	5	15	598	1,293
Oats	(D)	4	14	(D)	2,215
Short-rotation woody crops	25	2	11	799	1,262

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	179
\$1,000 to \$2,499	52
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44
\$5,000 to \$9,999	54
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10
\$25,000 to \$39,999	8
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9
\$500,000 or more	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	12,445
Average per farm (\$)	30,503
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,062
Average per farm (\$)	2,602

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	248
Other	162
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	353
Female	57
Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
All operators ² by race:	
White	536
Black or African American	2
American Indian or Alaska Native	13
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	395

(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 counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.