



# 2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

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## House District 65, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	600
Land in farms (acres)	88,469
Average size of farm (acres)	147
Irrigated Acres	269
Total Number of Farm Operators	950
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Market Value of Production (dollars)	16,235,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	27,058
Government Payments (dollars)	633,000
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	6,326
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	1,026,000

### FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	39
10-49 Acres/Farm	138
50-179 Acres/Farm	274
180-499 Acres/Farm	126
500-999 Acres/Farm	16
1,000+ Acres/Farm	7

### LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	543
Farms with Woodland	442
Farms with Other	430
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	272

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	16,235	58	179

### VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/

Grains and oilseeds	343	91	147
Tobacco	-		30
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	276	96	152
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	221	69	144
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	(D)	(D)	166
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	(D)	(D)	132
Poultry and eggs	35	84	129
Cattle and calves	2,133	53	146
Milk products	10,940	38	126
Hogs and pigs	90	69	127
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	134
Horses, ponies, mules	138	46	130
Aquaculture	93	26	86

**House District 65, Pennsylvania (continued)**

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	13,357	38	150
Layers 20 weeks old and older	1,636	63	137
Horses and ponies	1,611	19	153
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	(D)	115
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Pheasants 5/	(D)	(D)	96
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	23,602	27	158
Corn for silage	3,699	38	134
Corn for grain	2,274	81	141
Oats	789	46	131
Soybeans	326	101	124
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<b>FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES</b>			
Less than \$1,000	211		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	84		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	78		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	44		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	21		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	19		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	28		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	37		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8		
\$500,000 or more	4		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,139		
Average per farm (dollars)	26,810		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	-1,178		
Average per farm (dollars)	-1,957		
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION</b>			
Farming	336		
Other	264		
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER</b>			
Male	518		
Female	82		
Average age of principal operator (years)	55		
<b>ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/</b>			
White	906		
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 4/	-		

(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 house districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 203 house 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.