



2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

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House District 168, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	26
Land in farms (acres)	804
Average size of farm (acres)	31
Irrigated Acres	30
Total Number of Farm Operators	46
Market Value of Production (dollars)	1,285,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	49,432
Government Payments (dollars)	(D)
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	(D)
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	39,000

FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	13
10-49 Acres/Farm	8
50-179 Acres/Farm	4
180-499 Acres/Farm	1
500-999 Acres/Farm	-
1,000+ Acres/Farm	-

LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	16
Farms with Woodland	7
Farms with Other	14
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	11

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,285	129	179

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

Grains and oilseeds	-		147
Tobacco	-		30
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	152
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	144
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	993	84	166
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	(D)	(D)	132
Poultry and eggs	-		129
Cattle and calves	4	142	146
Milk products	-		126
Hogs and pigs	-		127
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	134
Horses, ponies, mules	-		130
Aquaculture	-		86

House District 168, Pennsylvania (continued)

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
All Goats	90	86	133
Colonies of bees	53	72	117
Sheep and lambs	34	124	140
Cattle and calves	28	142	150
Horses and ponies	27	140	153
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TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
All Vegetables harvested	(D)	(D)	151
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	(D)	(D)	158
Sweet corn	(D)	(D)	137
Pumpkins	(D)	(D)	141
Nursery stock	22	103	141
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FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES			
Less than \$1,000	7		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	2		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-		
\$500,000 or more	1		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,239		
Average per farm (dollars)	45,875		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	(D)	(D)	
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PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION			
Farming	18		
Other	8		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER			
Male	23		
Female	3		
Average age of principal operator (years)	59		
ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/			
White	45		
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.