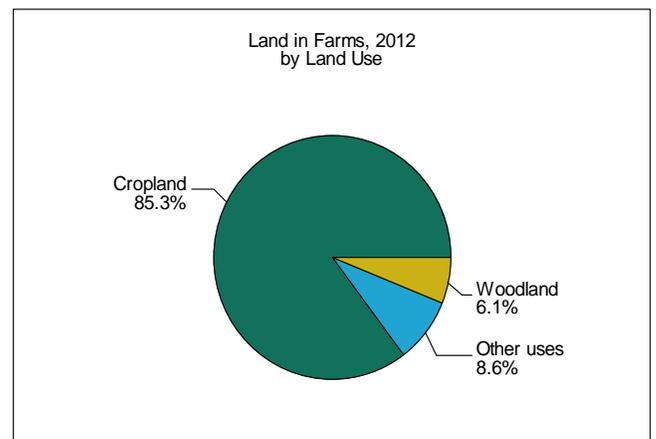
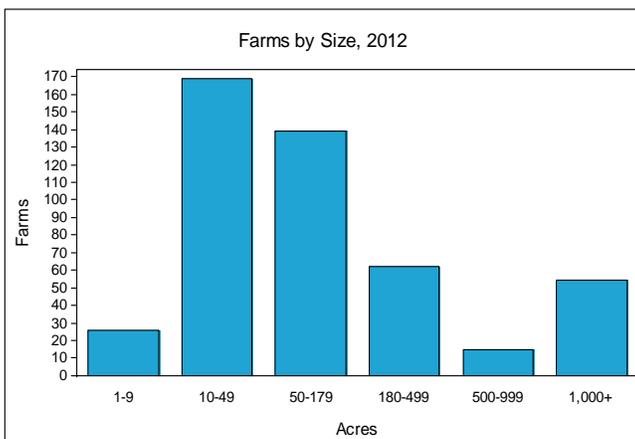


Henderson County Kentucky

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	465	509	- 9
Land in Farms	175,914 acres	195,706 acres	- 10
Average Size of Farm	378 acres	384 acres	- 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$78,596,000	\$70,504,000	+ 11
Crop Sales \$73,217,000 (93 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,378,000 (7 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$169,023	\$138,514	+ 22
Government Payments	\$3,464,000	\$2,654,000	+ 31
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,101	\$7,971	+ 39





Henderson County – Kentucky

Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	78,596	18	120	1,387	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	73,217	7	120	877	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,378	75	120	2,446	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	71,654	6	117	651	2,926
Tobacco	868	69	104	191	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	117	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	225	54	110	1,728	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	34	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	242	106	120	2,718	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	35	120	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	120	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	84	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	20	113	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	5	108	117	2,825	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	330	32	118	836	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	19	58	118	1,944	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	77,731	5	117	400	2,638
Soybeans for beans	57,936	6	102	535	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,170	94	120	2,192	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	4,972	22	93	983	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	4,972	22	93	904	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	31	116	(D)	2,723
Cattle and calves	6,494	83	120	2,257	3,063
Hogs and pigs	(D)	21	115	(D)	2,889
Quail	(D)	4	26	(D)	944
Layers	713	93	120	2,123	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	145	Farming	208
\$1,000 to \$2,499	28	Other	257
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	Male	431
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	Female	34
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	17	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	49	White	660
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	63,989	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	137,611	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	27,299		
Average per farm (\$)	58,707		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

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.