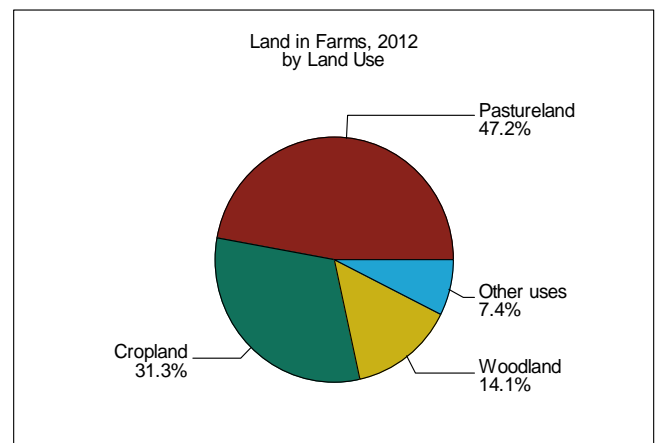
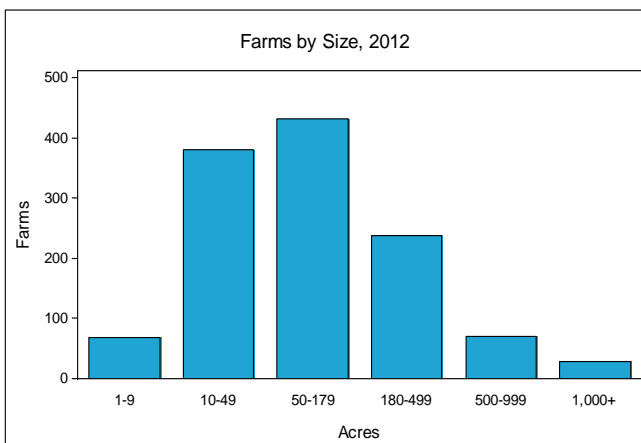


Madison County Kentucky

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	1,219	1,328	- 8
Land in Farms	232,801 acres	218,194 acres	+ 7
Average Size of Farm	191 acres	164 acres	+ 16
Market Value of Products Sold	\$60,531,000	\$42,488,000	+ 42
Crop Sales \$8,609,000 (14 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$51,922,000 (86 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$49,656	\$31,994	+ 55
Government Payments	\$783,000	\$680,000	+ 15
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,483	\$1,873	- 21





Madison 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	60,531	28	120	1,632	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,609	66	120	2,171	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	51,922	16	120	877	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,316	82	117	2,169	2,926
Tobacco	2,741	45	104	123	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	575	9	117	1,048	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	391	35	110	1,473	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	2	34	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,511	2	120	839	3,049
Poultry and eggs	64	52	120	1,533	3,013
Cattle and calves	50,963	1	120	266	3,056
Milk from cows	510	48	84	1,474	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	117	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	221	44	118	1,158	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	31	35	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	16	67	118	2,019	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	51,630	2	120	195	3,057
Corn for grain	1,767	74	117	1,755	2,638
Corn for silage	875	26	103	1,182	2,237
Tobacco	722	44	104	114	437
Soybeans for beans	328	91	102	1,856	2,162
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	75,257	2	120	221	3,063
Layers	1,927	43	120	1,325	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,603	22	120	654	3,072
Pullets for laying flock replacement	1,389	18	112	509	2,637
Turkeys	(D)	3	96	(D)	2,416

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	281	Farming	559
\$1,000 to \$2,499	96	Other	660
\$2,500 to \$4,999	147	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	167	Male	1,075
\$10,000 to \$19,999	166	Female	144
\$20,000 to \$24,999	32	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	88	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	99	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	52	Black or African American	19
\$250,000 to \$499,999	43	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	21	White	1,843
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	60,217	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	49,399	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,729		
Average per farm (\$)	2,239		

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.