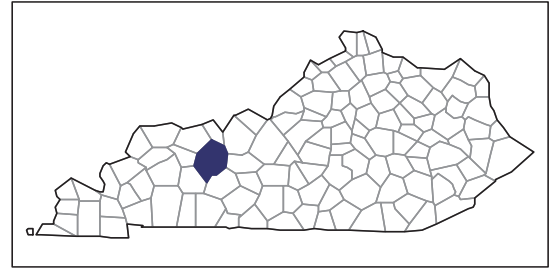


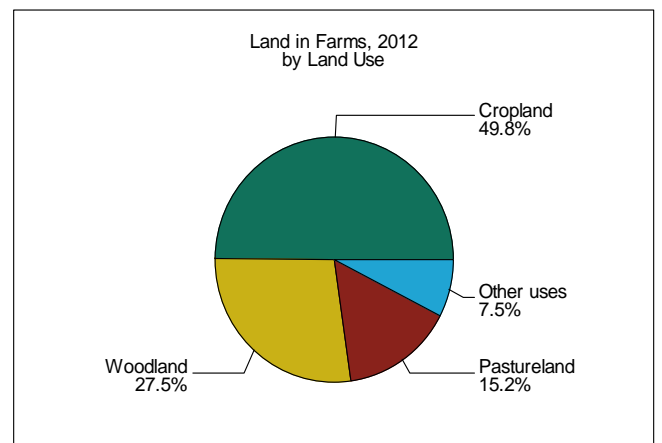
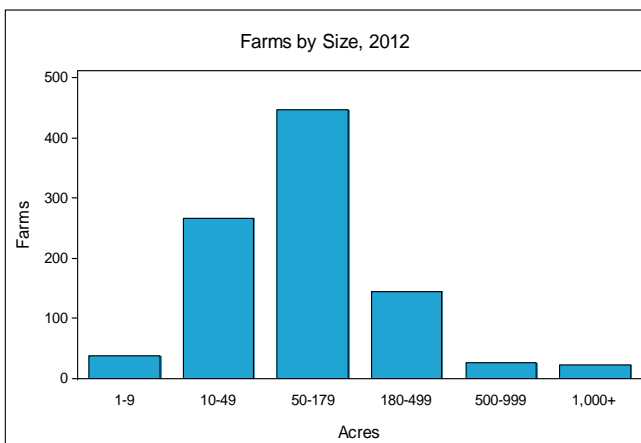
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Ohio County Kentucky

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	944	969	- 3
<b>Land in Farms</b>	158,244 acres	168,602 acres	- 6
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	168 acres	174 acres	- 3
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$98,835,000	\$72,837,000	+ 36
Crop Sales \$36,372,000 (37 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$62,463,000 (63 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$104,698	\$75,167	+ 39
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,434,000	\$1,104,000	+ 30
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,110	\$2,831	+ 10





## Ohio County – Kentucky

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	98,835	15	120	1,186	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	36,372	19	120	1,355	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	62,463	10	120	760	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	34,501	14	117	1,013	2,926
Tobacco	748	73	104	199	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	45	97	117	2,205	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	28	71	115	2,006	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	11	104	110	2,526	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	34	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,038	63	120	1,912	3,049
Poultry and eggs	58,387	5	120	220	3,013
Cattle and calves	3,828	66	120	1,983	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	80	84	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	50	54	117	1,908	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	87	81	118	1,933	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	57	32	118	1,353	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	28,466	18	117	828	2,638
Soybeans for beans	22,373	23	102	885	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	15,705	57	120	1,204	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	1,420	41	93	1,501	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	1,420	41	93	1,433	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,378,921	7	116	191	2,723
Cattle and calves	13,406	59	120	1,700	3,063
Layers	1,386	61	120	1,598	3,040
Horses and ponies	819	63	120	1,455	3,072
Sheep and lambs	657	26	109	1,217	2,897

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	295	Farming	293
\$1,000 to \$2,499	93	Other	651
\$2,500 to \$4,999	139	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	143	Male	876
\$10,000 to \$19,999	87	Female	68
\$20,000 to \$24,999	28	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	41	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	23	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	28	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	45	White	1,360
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	76,761	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	81,314	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	18
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	27,193		
Average per farm (\$)	28,806		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.