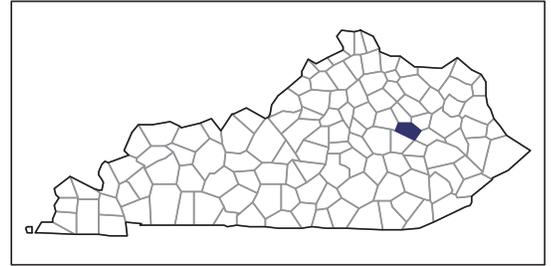


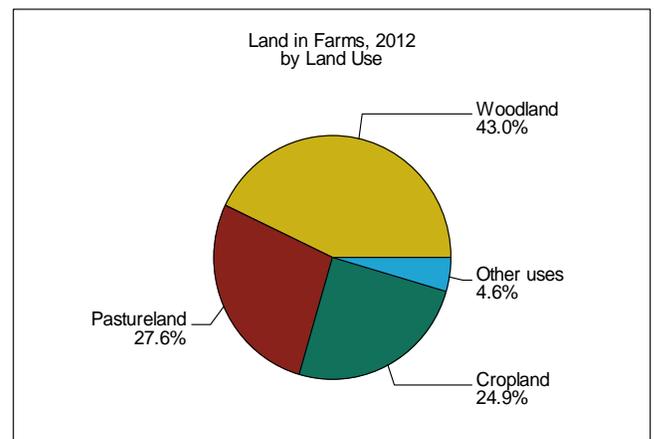
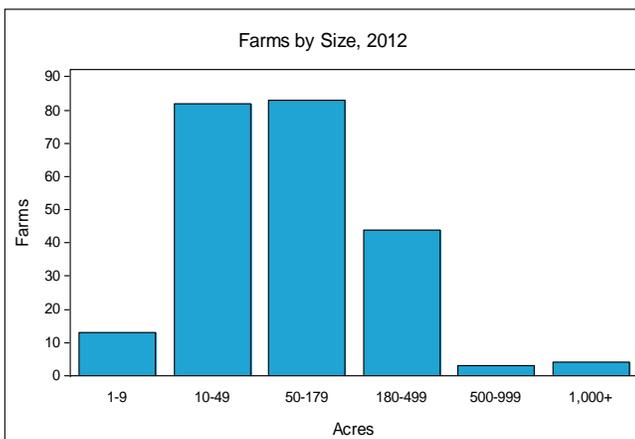
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Powell County Kentucky

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	229	236	- 3
Land in Farms	30,055 acres	32,763 acres	- 8
Average Size of Farm	131 acres	139 acres	- 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$2,467,000	\$2,507,000	- 2
Crop Sales \$1,563,000 (63 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$904,000 (37 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$10,772	\$10,623	+ 1
Government Payments	\$133,000	\$83,000	+ 60
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,669	\$1,323	+ 26





Powell 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	2,467	101	120	2,951	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,563	100	120	2,786	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	904	104	120	2,887	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	981	90	117	2,242	2,926
Tobacco	112	97	104	304	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	111	64	117	1,804	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	109	110	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	34	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	348	97	120	2,575	3,049
Poultry and eggs	17	84	120	2,129	3,013
Cattle and calves	746	102	120	2,692	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	84	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	1	104	113	2,727	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	7	106	117	2,758	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	129	72	118	1,626	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	35	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	4	96	118	2,544	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,063	99	120	2,340	3,057
Soybeans for beans	1,797	75	102	1,565	2,162
Corn for grain	443	100	117	2,105	2,638
Tobacco	45	94	104	282	437
Vegetables harvested, all	23	78	117	1,997	2,801
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	2,757	99	120	2,638	3,063
Layers	723	92	120	2,110	3,040
Horses and ponies	447	93	120	2,165	3,072
Goats, all	230	86	120	2,055	2,996
Pullets for laying flock replacement	72	80	112	1,894	2,637

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	95	Farming	91
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	138
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	Male	209
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17	Female	20
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	324
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,552	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	15,513	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-639		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,792		

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.