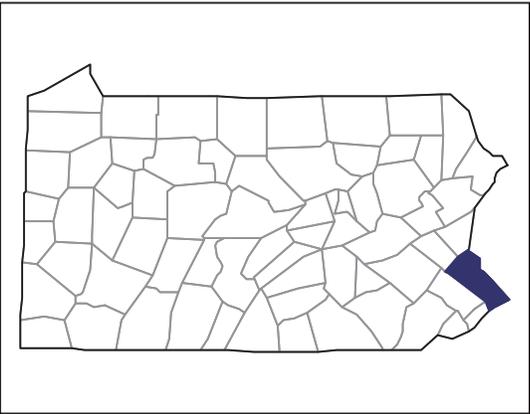


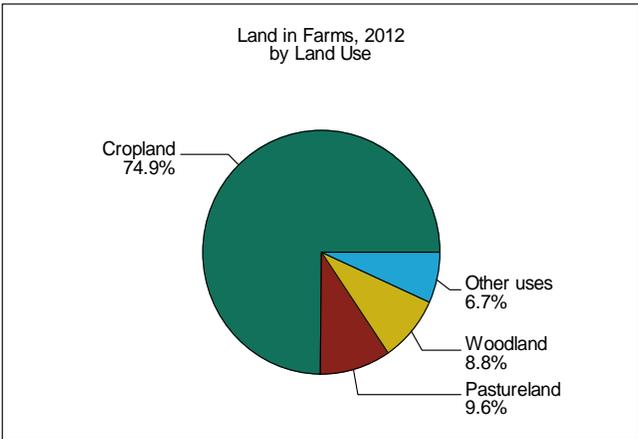
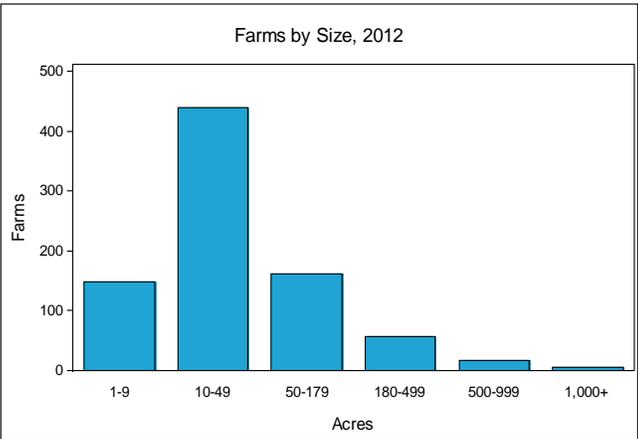
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Bucks County Pennsylvania

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	827	934	- 11
<b>Land in Farms</b>	64,024 acres	75,883 acres	- 16
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	77 acres	81 acres	- 5
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$62,418,000	\$70,573,000	- 12
Crop Sales \$46,869,000 (75 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$15,549,000 (25 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$75,475	\$75,560	0
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$579,000	\$713,000	- 19
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,124	\$4,574	+ 12





## Bucks County – Pennsylvania

### Ranked items among the 67 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	62,418	31	67	1,607	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	46,869	14	67	1,205	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	15,549	43	67	1,833	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	12,591	32	66	1,422	2,926
Tobacco	(D)	21	22	412	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	17	66	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,652	12	66	369	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	25,669	6	66	119	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	4,036	27	66	740	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	24	67	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	3,160	45	67	2,083	3,056
Milk from cows	6,531	45	64	624	2,038
Hogs and pigs	113	40	65	1,223	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,208	5	67	199	3,011
Aquaculture	11	49	54	928	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	411	18	67	483	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,460	35	67	1,054	3,057
Corn for grain	9,620	39	66	1,205	2,638
Soybeans for beans	8,000	28	66	1,167	2,162
Corn for silage	1,930	41	64	800	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	1,652	22	62	1,442	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers	11,449	26	66	680	3,040
Cattle and calves	6,968	47	67	2,206	3,063
Horses and ponies	3,232	8	67	170	3,072
Chukars	2,040	9	30	53	338
Sheep and lambs	1,907	18	66	483	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	244	Farming	424
\$1,000 to \$2,499	77	Other	403
\$2,500 to \$4,999	89	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	78	Male	592
\$10,000 to \$19,999	70	Female	235
\$20,000 to \$24,999	33	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	39	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	24	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	60	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	51	Black or African American	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	31	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	31	White	1,277
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	69,265	More than one race	6
Average per farm (\$)	83,755	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	27
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,353		
Average per farm (\$)	7,682		

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.