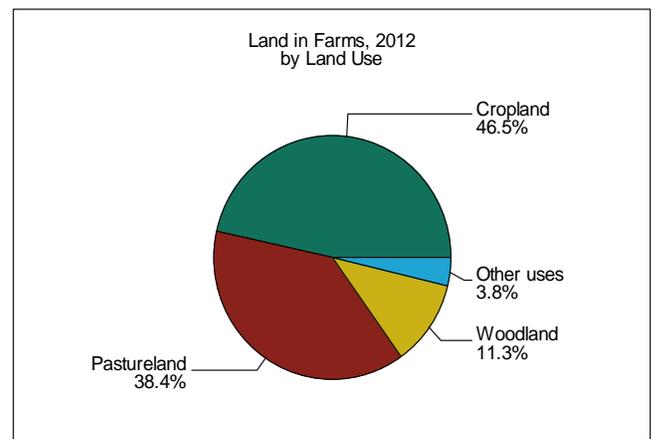
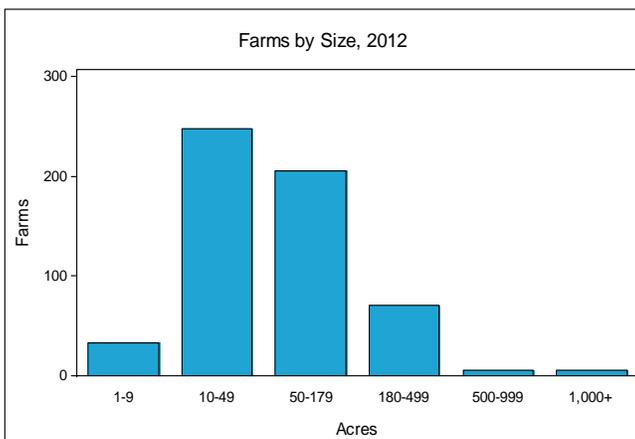


Hamblen County Tennessee

| | 2012 | 2007 | % change |
|---|--------------|--------------|----------|
| Number of Farms | 569 | 715 | - 20 |
| Land in Farms | 58,837 acres | 69,383 acres | - 15 |
| Average Size of Farm | 103 acres | 97 acres | + 6 |
| Market Value of Products Sold | \$29,048,000 | \$29,439,000 | - 1 |
| Crop Sales \$11,111,000 (38 percent) | | | |
| Livestock Sales \$17,937,000 (62 percent) | | | |
| Average Per Farm | \$51,052 | \$41,173 | + 24 |
| Government Payments | \$313,000 | \$61,000 | + 413 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | \$4,064 | \$1,126 | + 261 |





Hamblen County – Tennessee

Ranked items among the 95 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 | 29,048 | 43 | 95 | 2,167 | 3,077 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 11,111 | 36 | 95 | 2,032 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 17,937 | 30 | 95 | 1,694 | 3,076 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | (D) | (D) | 95 | (D) | 2,926 |
| Tobacco | 687 | 19 | 56 | 205 | 436 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | 25 | - | 635 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | (D) | 3 | 94 | (D) | 2,802 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | (D) | (D) | 91 | (D) | 2,724 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 87 | 69 | 93 | 2,072 | 2,678 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | (D) | 31 | 44 | (D) | 1,530 |
| Other crops and hay | 383 | 52 | 95 | 2,543 | 3,049 |
| Poultry and eggs | 10,149 | 17 | 94 | 602 | 3,013 |
| Cattle and calves | 5,242 | 52 | 95 | 1,780 | 3,056 |
| Milk from cows | 2,104 | 20 | 71 | 1,016 | 2,038 |
| Hogs and pigs | (D) | (D) | 88 | (D) | 2,827 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk | 37 | 66 | 94 | 2,108 | 2,988 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 50 | 80 | 94 | 2,273 | 3,011 |
| Aquaculture | (D) | 11 | 38 | (D) | 1,366 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 56 | 28 | 95 | 1,379 | 2,924 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 16,583 | 44 | 95 | 1,155 | 3,057 |
| Soybeans for beans | 2,589 | 47 | 87 | 1,453 | 2,162 |
| Corn for grain | 1,510 | 58 | 95 | 1,799 | 2,638 |
| Vegetables harvested, all | (D) | (D) | 94 | (D) | 2,801 |
| Corn for silage | 612 | 25 | 76 | 1,311 | 2,237 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 769,130 | 11 | 93 | 339 | 2,723 |
| Cattle and calves | 16,804 | 44 | 95 | 1,495 | 3,063 |
| Layers | 1,625 | 50 | 94 | 1,469 | 3,040 |
| Horses and ponies | 550 | 65 | 95 | 1,942 | 3,072 |
| Sheep and lambs | 405 | 41 | 93 | 1,607 | 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 | 155 | Farming | 277 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 84 | Other | 292 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 95 | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 71 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 78 | Male | 519 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 21 | Female | 50 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 25 | | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 5 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 60.6 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 14 | | |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 7 | All operators by race ² : | |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 3 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 5 |
| \$500,000 or more | 11 | Asian | 1 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 26,685 | Black or African American | 6 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 46,898 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| | | White | 786 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 3,137 | More than one race | 2 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 5,512 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ² | 13 |

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.