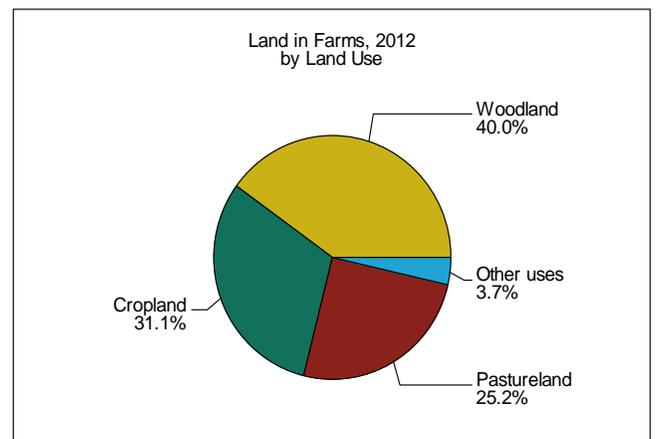
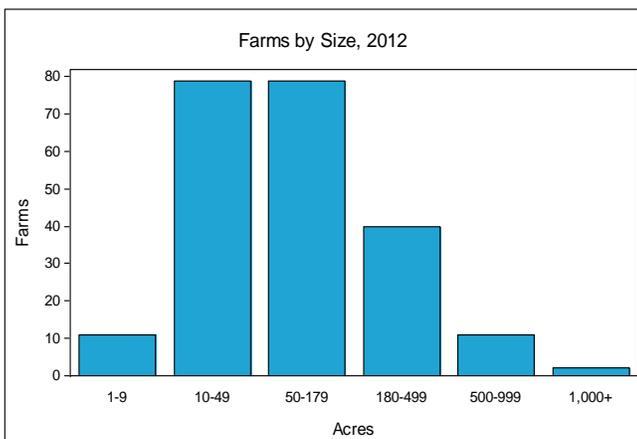


## Lewis County Tennessee

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	222	260	- 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	30,725 acres	35,566 acres	- 14
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	138 acres	137 acres	+ 1
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$3,077,000	\$2,608,000	+ 18
Crop Sales \$486,000 (16 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,591,000 (84 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$13,859	\$10,031	+ 38
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$46,000	\$27,000	+ 70
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,431	\$620	+ 131





## Lewis County – Tennessee

### Ranked items among the 95 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	3,077	93	95	2,930	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	486	91	95	2,973	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,591	86	95	2,700	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	192	87	95	2,578	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	56	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	25	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	37	71	94	2,278	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	89	93	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	44	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	233	72	95	2,730	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	41	94	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	2,270	82	95	2,252	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	70	71	2,017	2,038
Hogs and pigs	1	87	88	2,728	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	86	37	94	1,476	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	83	94	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	2	88	95	2,669	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,377	87	95	2,035	3,057
Corn for grain	447	80	95	2,101	2,638
Soybeans for beans	(D)	82	87	2,058	2,162
Vegetables harvested, all	8	87	94	2,397	2,801
Apples	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,167
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	4,292	90	95	2,474	3,063
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	32	93	(D)	2,723
Layers	2,614	36	94	1,116	3,040
Horses and ponies	373	80	95	2,338	3,072
Goats, all	324	79	94	1,729	2,996

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	91	Farming	99
\$1,000 to \$2,499	18	Other	123
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	Male	201
\$10,000 to \$19,999	30	Female	21
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	327
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,971	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	17,888	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-514		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,314		

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.