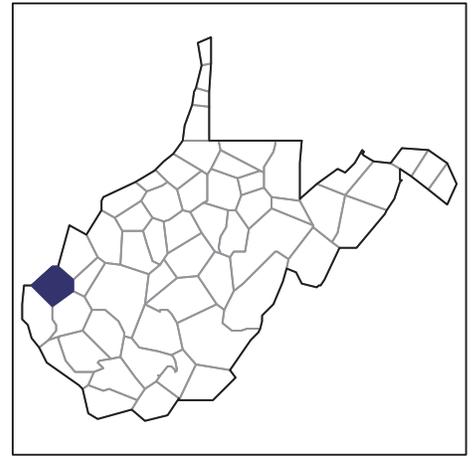


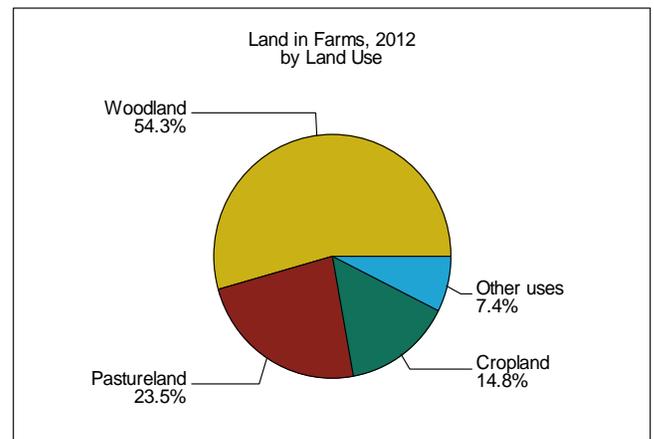
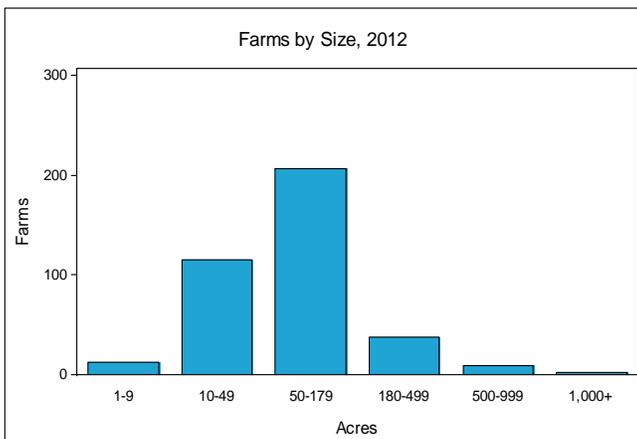
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Cabell County West Virginia

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	383	462	- 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	42,450 acres	47,625 acres	- 11
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	111 acres	103 acres	+ 8
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$1,991,000	\$1,543,000	+ 29
Crop Sales \$1,002,000 (50 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$989,000 (50 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$5,198	\$3,340	+ 56
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$60,000	\$10,000	+ 500
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$964	\$365	+ 164





## Cabell County – West Virginia

### Ranked items among the 55 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	1,991	40	55	2,976	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,002	27	55	2,886	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	989	41	55	2,879	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	24	49	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	(D)	2	6	(D)	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	203	11	52	1,508	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	70	17	52	1,615	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	373	9	50	1,493	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	253	43	54	2,704	3,049
Poultry and eggs	13	30	54	2,261	3,013
Cattle and calves	903	40	55	2,643	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	28	30	2,025	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	41	54	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	42	29	52	2,371	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	12	28	55	2,124	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,805	42	54	2,232	3,057
Corn for grain	103	21	48	2,357	2,638
Vegetables harvested, all	44	16	52	1,683	2,801
Corn for silage	(D)	34	38	(D)	2,237
Apples	18	18	52	780	2,167
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	2,621	38	55	2,655	3,063
Layers	1,014	31	54	1,860	3,040
Horses and ponies	413	27	55	2,246	3,072
Goats, all	213	31	54	2,118	2,996
Sheep and lambs	166	35	51	2,164	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	128	Farming	121
\$1,000 to \$2,499	102	Other	262
\$2,500 to \$4,999	80		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	15	Male	337
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Female	46
\$25,000 to \$39,999	7		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$500,000 or more	-	Asian	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,225	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	8,421	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	536
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-936	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	-2,444	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3

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.