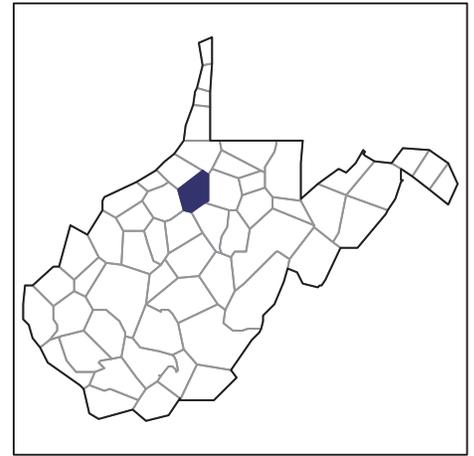


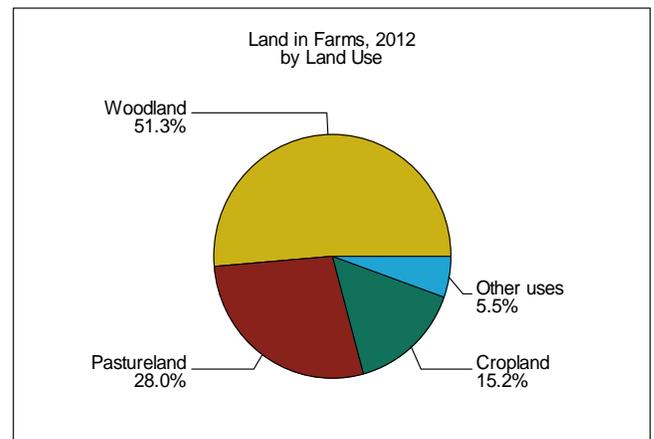
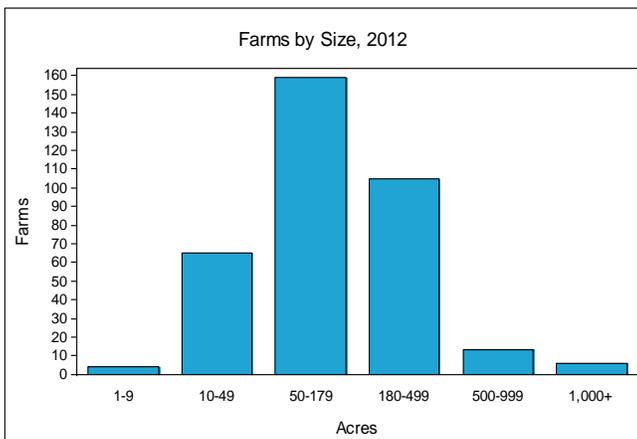
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Doddridge County West Virginia

| | 2012 | 2007 | % change |
|--|--------------|--------------|----------|
| Number of Farms | 352 | 490 | - 28 |
| Land in Farms | 65,364 acres | 81,329 acres | - 20 |
| Average Size of Farm | 186 acres | 166 acres | + 12 |
| Market Value of Products Sold | \$2,271,000 | \$1,739,000 | + 31 |
| Crop Sales \$766,000 (34 percent) | | | |
| Livestock Sales \$1,505,000 (66 percent) | | | |
| Average Per Farm | \$6,451 | \$3,550 | + 82 |
| Government Payments | \$50,000 | \$2,000 | + 2,400 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | \$3,322 | \$346 | + 860 |





Doddridge County – West Virginia

Ranked items among the 55 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 | 2,271 | 35 | 55 | 2,963 | 3,077 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 766 | 33 | 55 | 2,921 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 1,505 | 36 | 55 | 2,816 | 3,076 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 1 | 48 | 49 | 2,900 | 2,926 |
| Tobacco | - | - | 6 | - | 436 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 635 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | (D) | (D) | 52 | (D) | 2,802 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 68 | 20 | 52 | 1,625 | 2,724 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | (D) | (D) | 50 | (D) | 2,678 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | (D) | 35 | 36 | (D) | 1,530 |
| Other crops and hay | 537 | 30 | 54 | 2,379 | 3,049 |
| Poultry and eggs | 25 | 20 | 54 | 1,944 | 3,013 |
| Cattle and calves | 1,312 | 37 | 55 | 2,533 | 3,056 |
| Milk from cows | - | - | 30 | - | 2,038 |
| Hogs and pigs | 6 | 40 | 52 | 2,310 | 2,827 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk | 48 | 23 | 54 | 1,958 | 2,988 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 98 | 15 | 52 | 1,851 | 3,011 |
| Aquaculture | - | - | 20 | - | 1,366 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 16 | 21 | 55 | 2,007 | 2,924 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 8,294 | 33 | 54 | 1,808 | 3,057 |
| Sod harvested | (D) | 3 | 3 | 541 | 690 |
| Vegetables harvested, all | 25 | 26 | 52 | 1,955 | 2,801 |
| Apples | 14 | 27 | 52 | 857 | 2,167 |
| Sweet corn | 9 | 19 | 50 | 1,290 | 2,416 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 3,441 | 36 | 55 | 2,555 | 3,063 |
| Layers | 3,217 | 8 | 54 | 1,004 | 3,040 |
| Goats, all | 455 | 18 | 54 | 1,344 | 2,996 |
| Horses and ponies | 330 | 33 | 55 | 2,452 | 3,072 |
| Sheep and lambs | 156 | 36 | 51 | 2,198 | 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 | 97 | Farming | 174 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 87 | Other | 178 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 46 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 68 | Male | 300 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 29 | Female | 52 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 5 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 59.7 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 11 | All operators by race ² : | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 2 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 1 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 6 | Asian | 2 |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 1 | Black or African American | - |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | - | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| \$500,000 or more | - | White | 528 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 2,718 | More than one race | 2 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 7,722 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ² | - |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | -300 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | -851 | | |

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.