

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Allen, Kentucky

Number of farms

1,191 farms in 2002, 1,212 farms in 1997, down 2 percent.

Land in farms

167,902 acres in 2002, 163,984 acres in 1997, up 2 percent.

Average size of farm

141 acres in 2002, 135 acres in 1997, up 4 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$41,286,000 in 2002, \$36,017,000 in 1997, up 15 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$6,217,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$35,070,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

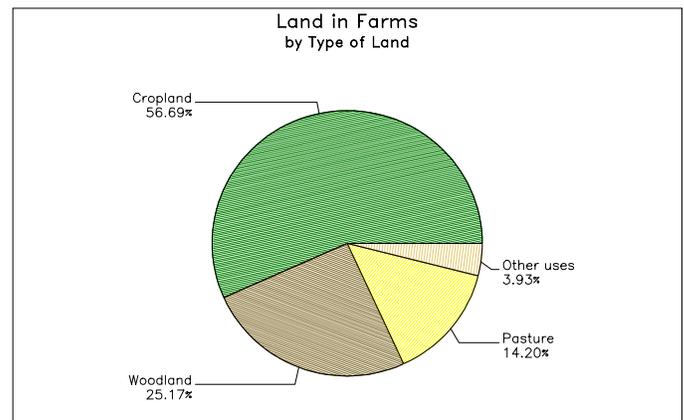
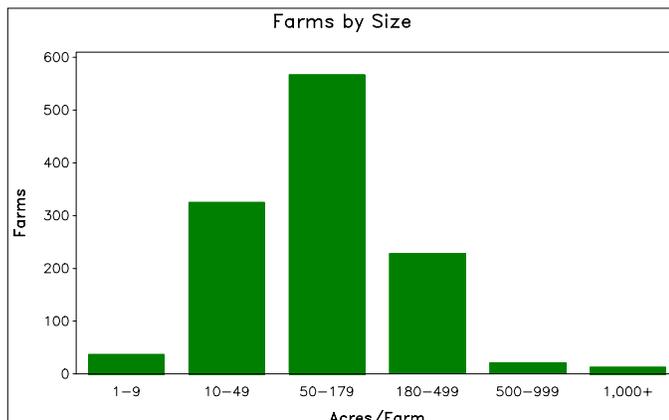
\$34,665 in 2002, \$29,717 in 1997, up 17 percent.

Government Payments

\$656,000 in 2002, \$482,000 in 1997, up 36 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$1,925 in 2002, \$1,185 in 1997, up 62 percent.



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Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	41,286	24	120	1,394	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,217	61	120	1,964	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	35,070	14	120	825	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	877	49	117	1,813	2,871
Tobacco	3,098	53	114	149	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	902	3	111	798	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	30	40	112	1,794	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	73	79	106	2,176	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	49	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,237	15	120	1,047	3,046
Poultry and eggs	1,609	34	115	868	2,918
Cattle and calves	26,115	1	120	358	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	764	53	106	1,473	2,493
Hogs and pigs	6,220	1	111	419	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	54	20	120	1,202	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	283	56	118	786	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	51	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	25	23	100	1,432	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	33	103	(D)	2,599
Cattle and calves	62,980	5	120	387	3,059
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	17	119	(D)	2,983
Hogs and pigs	27,416	3	112	438	2,926
Quail	(D)	2	40	(D)	1,412
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	40,841	15	120	463	3,059
Corn for grain	2,594	47	117	1,490	2,592
Soybeans	2,038	56	100	1,379	2,076
All Wheat for grain	1,056	36	101	1,522	2,517
Tobacco	861	56	114	147	563

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	205	Farming	647
\$1,000 to \$2,499	172	Other	544
\$2,500 to \$4,999	204		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	193	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	196	Male	1,089
\$20,000 to \$24,999	36	Female	102
\$25,000 to \$39,999	88		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	27	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999	31		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	White	1,613
\$500,000 or more	8	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	37,167	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Average per farm (\$)	31,285	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,625	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	3,893	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	14

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.