

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Juniata, Pennsylvania

Number of farms

644 farms in 2002, 801 farms in 1997, down 20 percent.

Land in farms

86,203 acres in 2002, 96,312 acres in 1997, down 10 percent.

Average size of farm

134 acres in 2002, 120 acres in 1997, up 12 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$67,619,000 in 2002, \$70,463,000 in 1997, down 4 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$4,619,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$63,001,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

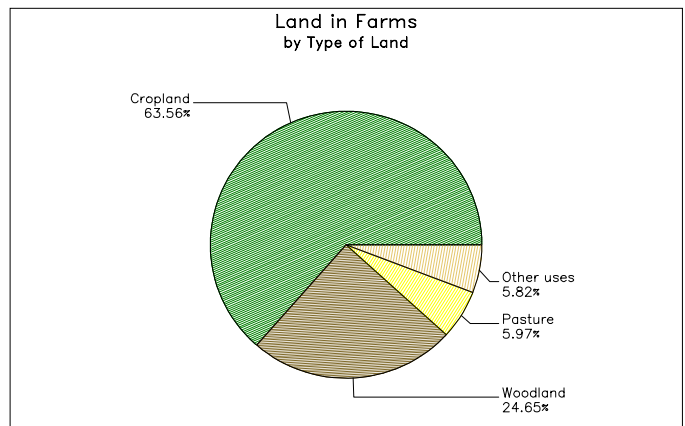
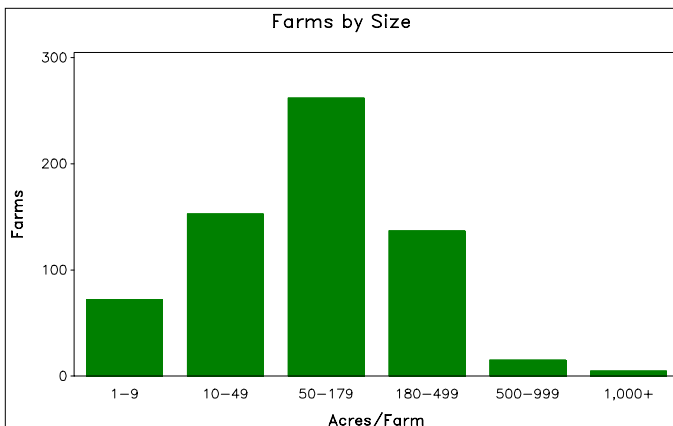
\$104,999 in 2002, \$87,968 in 1997, up 19 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,482,000 in 2002, \$686,000 in 1997, up 116 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$6,122 in 2002, \$2,486 in 1997, up 146 percent.



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Ranked items among the 67 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	67,619	14	67	840	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,619	51	67	2,112	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	63,001	12	66	410	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,588	35	65	1,650	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	890	21	66	383	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,148	46	66	1,040	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	826	46	66	1,437	3,046
Poultry and eggs	32,749	7	66	215	2,918
Cattle and calves	4,869	27	66	1,536	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	17,653	23	65	241	2,493
Hogs and pigs	7,463	10	66	368	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	142	15	66	606	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	50	57	65	2,354	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,075,622	4	64	188	2,599
Layers 20 weeks old and older	351,582	12	67	203	2,983
Turkeys	72,300	14	61	181	2,328
Hogs and pigs	38,913	8	65	344	2,926
Cattle and calves	19,531	30	66	1,483	3,059
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	19,712	41	66	1,120	3,059
Corn for silage	8,661	18	65	187	2,307
Corn for grain	7,996	34	66	1,121	2,592
Soybeans	4,897	27	58	1,208	2,076
All Wheat for grain	2,202	24	60	1,253	2,517

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	132
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57
\$2,500 to \$4,999	66
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10
\$25,000 to \$39,999	35
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	65
\$100,000 to \$249,999	90
\$250,000 to \$499,999	39
\$500,000 or more	39
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	53,909
Average per farm (\$)	83,839
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	21,575
Average per farm (\$)	33,554

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	434
Other	210
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	605
Female	39
Average age of principal operator (years)	50.8
All operators ² by race:	
White	910
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	1
More than one race	3
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	1

(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.