

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Coffee, Tennessee

Number of farms

1,069 farms in 2002, 1,185 farms in 1997, down 10 percent.

Land in farms

145,334 acres in 2002, 146,837 acres in 1997, down 1 percent.

Average size of farm

136 acres in 2002, 124 acres in 1997, up 10 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$30,157,000 in 2002, \$31,936,000 in 1997, down 6 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$12,551,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$17,606,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

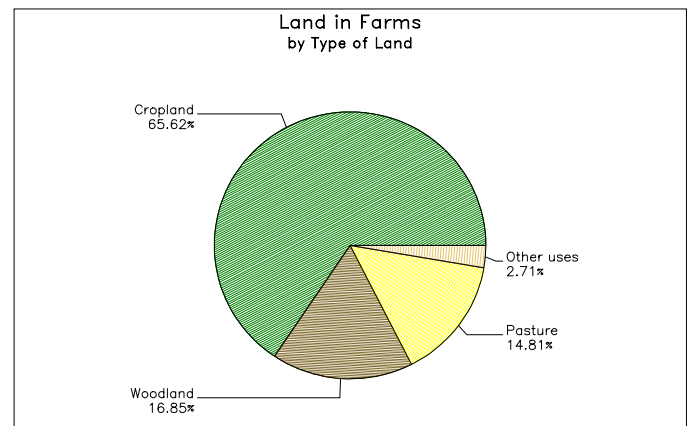
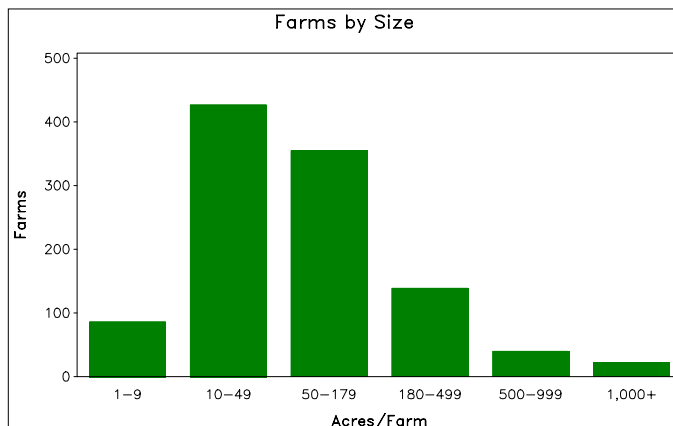
\$28,210 in 2002, \$26,950 in 1997, up 5 percent.

Government Payments

\$827,000 in 2002, \$465,000 in 1997, up 78 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,780 in 2002, \$2,337 in 1997, up 105 percent.



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Ranked items among the 95 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	30,157	25	95	1,700	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	12,551	27	95	1,507	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17,606	22	95	1,404	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,997	17	94	1,175	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	69	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	24	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	82	59	92	1,812	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	96	18	91	1,269	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5,706	13	94	428	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1	46	50	1,682	1,774
Other crops and hay	668	24	95	1,632	3,046
Poultry and eggs	3,965	21	93	665	2,918
Cattle and calves	7,762	24	95	1,178	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	4,842	11	73	642	2,493
Hogs and pigs	454	14	93	1,066	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	33	37	94	1,561	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	531	18	94	354	3,014
Aquaculture	(Z)	48	52	1,449	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	19	43	89	1,562	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	423,984	15	89	404	2,599
Cattle and calves	33,796	22	95	950	3,059
Layers 20 weeks old and older	30,132	13	94	597	2,983
Hogs and pigs	5,573	8	93	873	2,926
Horses and ponies	2,141	23	95	420	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	26,156	25	95	851	3,059
Soybeans	23,219	16	81	791	2,076
Corn for grain	13,958	11	94	922	2,592
All Wheat for grain	2,897	19	81	1,139	2,517
Corn for silage	2,006	10	82	754	2,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	278	Farming	544
\$1,000 to \$2,499	212	Other	525
\$2,500 to \$4,999	162		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	165	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	74	Male	975
\$20,000 to \$24,999	22	Female	94
\$25,000 to \$39,999	36		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	33		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	34	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	28	White	1,491
\$500,000 or more	7	Black or African American	8
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	28,863	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
Average per farm (\$)	26,874	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	5
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,924	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	3,654	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	3

(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.