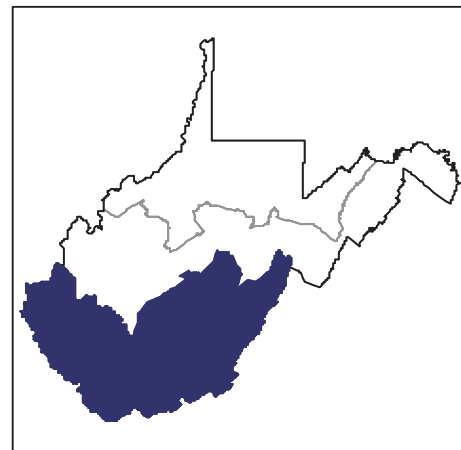


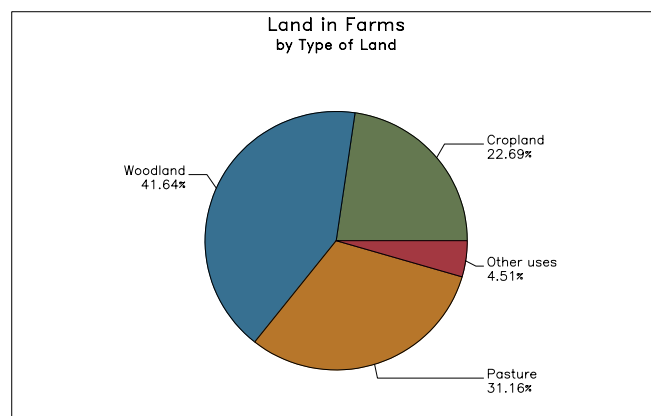
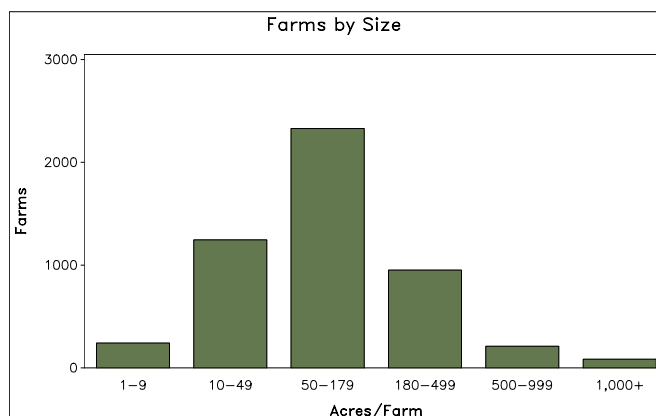
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## Congressional District Profile

### West Virginia 3rd District



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	7,273	6,214	+ 17
<b>Number of Farms</b>	5,062	4,478	+ 13
<b>Land in Farms</b>	811,342 acres	808,051 acres	0
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	160 acres	180 acres	- 11
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	189 acres	324 acres	- 42
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	(D)	\$76,910,000	
Average Per Farm	(D)	\$17,175	
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$4,596,000	\$3,087,000	+ 49
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<b>Government Payments</b>	(D)	\$1,093,000	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	(D)	\$2,513	



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Ranked items among the 3 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2007

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	(D)	3	3	276	425
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,922	3	3	356	425
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	3	3	202	415
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	266	3	3	310	371
Tobacco	(D)	2	3	59	81
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	102
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	751	3	3	327	403
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	350	3	3	316	398
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,131	3	3	372	421
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	154	3	3	193	328
Other crops and hay	(D)	3	3	219	389
Poultry and eggs	18,160	3	3	157	395
Cattle and calves	50,536	2	3	132	393
Milk and other dairy products from cows	6,585	3	3	222	343
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3	3	237	368
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	3	3	142	383
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	3	3	243	401
Aquaculture	1,405	2	3	120	336
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	2	3	(D)	395
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	119,854	3	3	122	398
Corn for silage or greenchop	3,710	2	3	168	321
Corn for grain	1,520	3	3	253	343
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	3	3	303	401
Cut Christmas trees	359	3	3	117	331
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	183,199	2	3	57	350
Cattle and calves	110,109	3	3	163	396
Layers	11,481	3	3	243	395
Sheep and lambs	9,730	3	3	91	383
Horses and ponies	7,985	3	3	167	416

### Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	1,635	Farming	2,171
\$1,000 to \$2,499	940	Other	2,891
\$2,500 to \$4,999	725	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	657	Male	4,380
\$10,000 to \$19,999	456	Female	682
\$20,000 to \$24,999	115	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	180	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	81	American Indian or Alaska Native	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	140	Asian	9
\$100,000 to \$249,999	87	Black or African American	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	33	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	13	White	7,183
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	83,357	More than one race	14
Average per farm (\$)	16,467	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	51
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	10,170		
Average per farm (\$)	2,009		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.