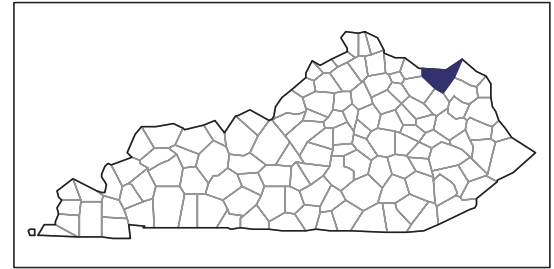


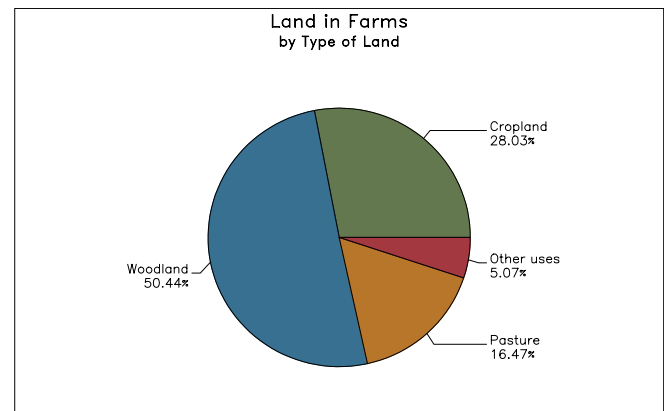
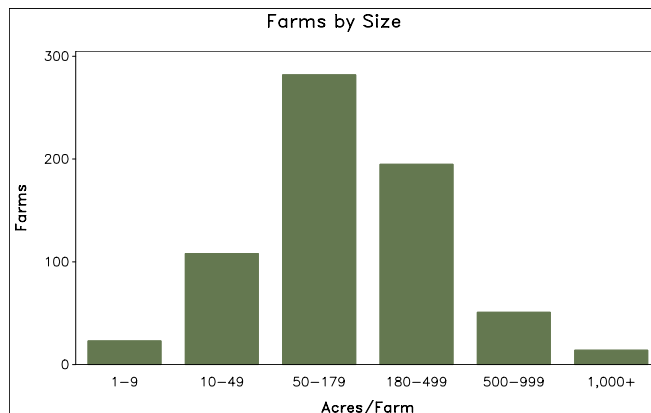
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## County Profile



## Lewis County Kentucky

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	673	733	- 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	146,761 acres	143,886 acres	+ 2
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	218 acres	196 acres	+ 11
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$9,728,000	\$9,493,000	+ 2
Crop Sales \$4,658,000 (48 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,070,000 (52 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$14,455	\$12,951	+ 12
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$330,000	\$290,000	+ 14
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$1,333	\$1,896	- 30



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#### Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 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	9,728	79	120	2,609	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,658	72	120	2,275	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,070	78	120	2,431	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	719	70	117	2,071	2,933
Tobacco	2,418	43	106	124	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	41	81	117	2,187	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	104	106	2,629	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	7	101	111	2,589	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	37	50	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,472	27	120	1,156	3,054
Poultry and eggs	26	70	120	2,005	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,831	67	120	1,889	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,131	42	111	1,301	2,493
Hogs and pigs	18	66	110	2,022	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	9	107	118	2,632	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	53	97	119	2,164	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	40	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	3	73	111	2,402	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	22,553	45	120	941	3,060
Corn for grain	1,114	75	117	1,839	2,634
Soybeans for beans	1,046	66	100	1,541	2,039
Tobacco	907	37	106	106	437
Corn for silage	198	68	106	1,706	2,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	13,933	58	120	1,733	3,060
Layers	1,123	55	120	1,527	3,024
Horses and ponies	694	86	120	1,852	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	436	44	104	1,162	2,476
Goats, all	327	96	119	1,867	3,023

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	152	Farming	277
\$1,000 to \$2,499	100	Other	396
\$2,500 to \$4,999	105	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	124	Male	610
\$10,000 to \$19,999	85	Female	63
\$20,000 to \$24,999	19	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	25	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	16	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	957
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	8,552	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	12,707	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,179		
Average per farm (\$)	4,723		

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

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

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