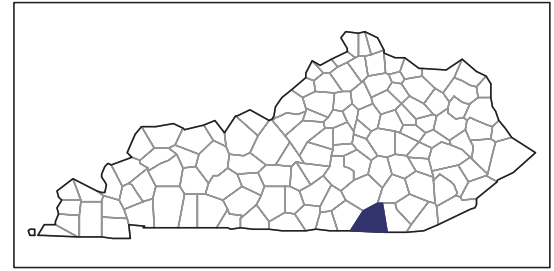


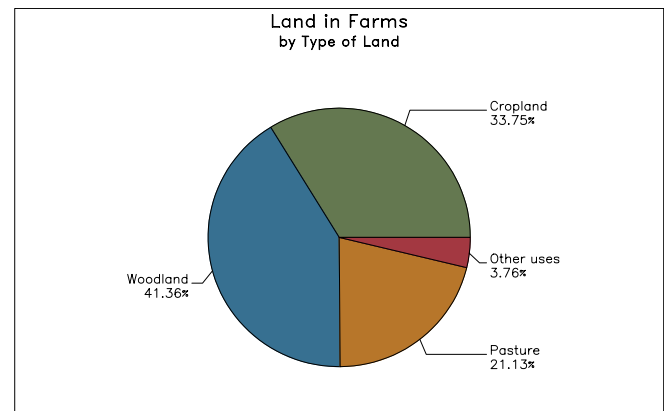
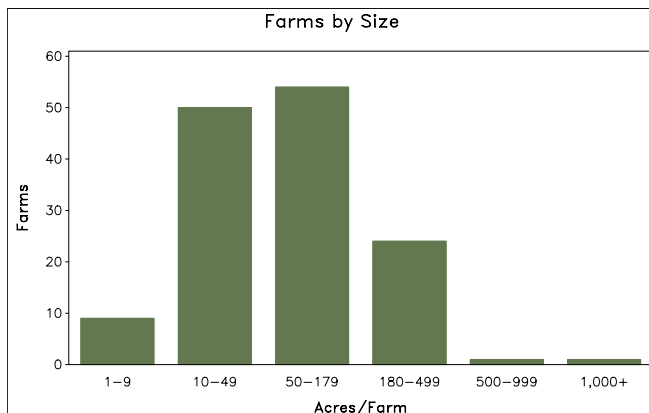
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



McCreary County Kentucky

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	139	154	- 10
Land in Farms	15,056 acres	14,894 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	108 acres	97 acres	+ 11
Market Value of Products Sold	\$912,000	\$566,000	+ 61
Crop Sales \$154,000 (17 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$757,000 (83 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$6,559	\$3,678	+ 78
Government Payments	\$15,000	\$10,000	+ 50
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$723	\$403	+ 79



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

McCreary County – Kentucky

Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	912	111	120	3,016	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	154	112	120	3,017	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	757	109	120	2,929	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	111	117	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	106	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	117	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	106	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	111	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	33	50	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	119	108	120	2,819	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	41	120	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	409	109	120	2,823	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	111	111	2,459	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	110	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	8	112	118	2,683	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	4	115	119	2,956	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	40	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(Z)	99	111	2,668	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,371	108	120	2,677	3,060
Soybeans for beans	(D)	95	100	(D)	2,039
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	(D)	116	(D)	2,794
Ginseng	(D)	1	2	4	57
Corn for grain	(D)	117	117	(D)	2,634
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	15	111	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	1,702	108	120	2,817	3,060
Hogs and pigs	326	52	114	1,582	2,958
Layers	318	105	120	2,447	3,024
Goats, all	300	98	119	1,941	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	57	Farming	50
\$1,000 to \$2,499	28	Other	89
\$2,500 to \$4,999	24	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	Male	127
\$10,000 to \$19,999	11	Female	12
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	188
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,569	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	11,288	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-556		
Average per farm (\$)	-4,002		

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.

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.