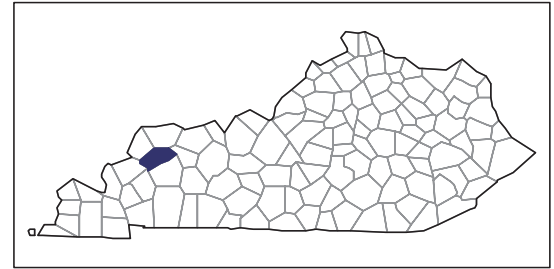


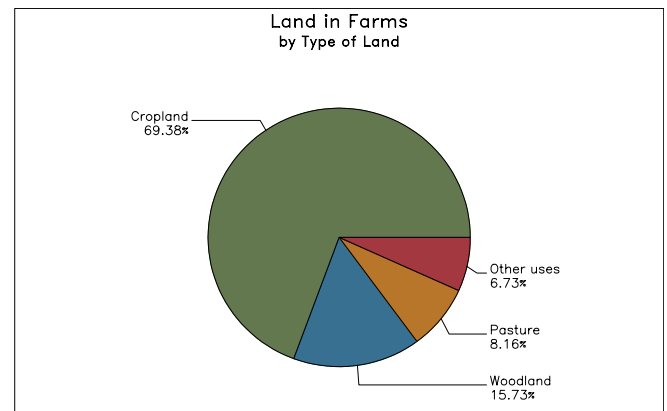
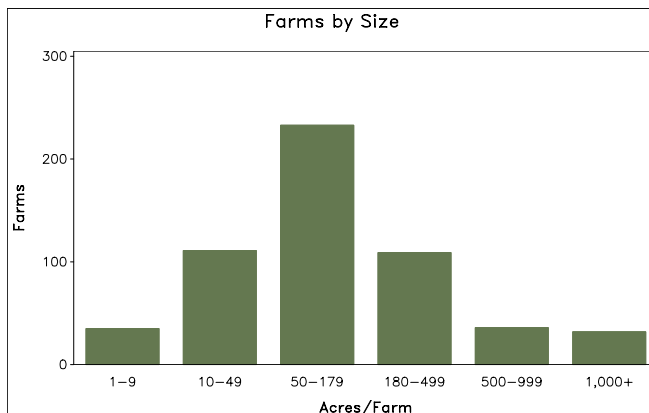
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Webster County Kentucky

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	556	595	- 7
Land in Farms	154,999 acres	159,496 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	279 acres	268 acres	+ 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$97,021,000	\$77,346,000	+ 25
Crop Sales \$30,761,000 (32 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$66,259,000 (68 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$174,497	\$129,994	+ 34
Government Payments	\$2,592,000	\$2,894,000	- 10
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,768	\$8,130	- 17



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Webster 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	97,021	12	120	917	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	30,761	11	120	1,193	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	66,259	10	120	623	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	29,567	9	117	823	2,933
Tobacco	922	76	106	197	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4	114	117	2,645	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	-	-	50	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	268	99	120	2,533	3,054
Poultry and eggs	57,065	5	120	190	3,020
Cattle and calves	8,913	37	120	1,285	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	105	111	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	175	39	110	1,244	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	36	64	118	1,914	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	65	94	119	2,032	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	40	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	42,353	11	117	659	2,634
Soybeans for beans	30,637	14	100	684	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,751	90	120	1,953	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	1,354	28	93	1,504	2,481
Popcorn	(D)	(D)	12	(D)	281
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,258,800	4	104	126	2,476
Layers	56,642	11	120	477	3,024
Cattle and calves	10,659	73	120	1,941	3,060
Hogs and pigs	1,242	35	114	1,159	2,958
Horses and ponies	531	96	120	2,177	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	253	Farming	209
\$1,000 to \$2,499	44	Other	347
\$2,500 to \$4,999	40		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	Male	478
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Female	78
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	23	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$500,000 or more	50	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	72,176	Black or African American	9
Average per farm (\$)	129,813	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	742
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,018	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	53,989	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8

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.