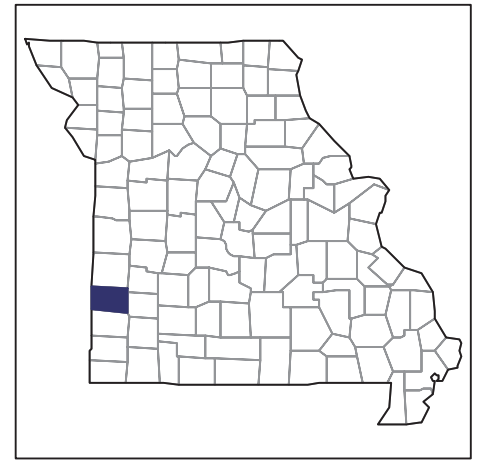


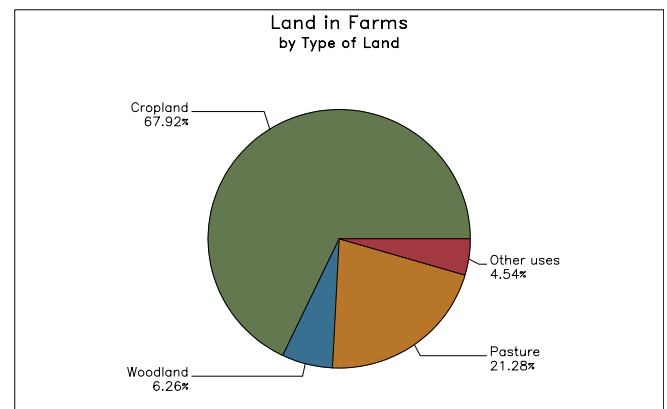
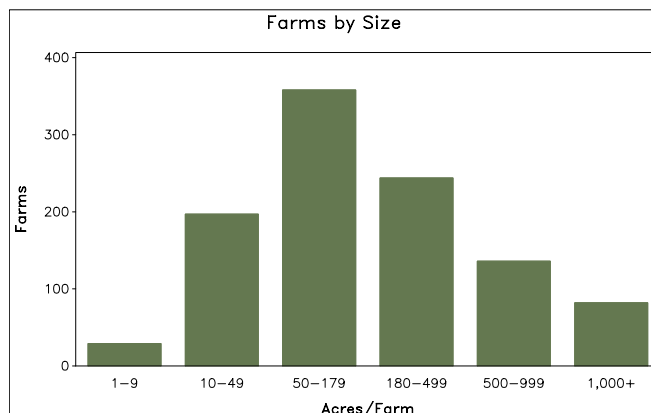
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## County Profile

### Barton County Missouri



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,046	960	+ 9
<b>Land in Farms</b>	349,319 acres	336,912 acres	+ 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	334 acres	351 acres	- 5
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$90,711,000	\$66,376,000	+ 37
Crop Sales \$48,483,000 (53 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$42,228,000 (47 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$86,721	\$69,142	+ 25
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$5,352,000	\$3,192,000	+ 68
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$7,894	\$5,966	+ 32



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#### Ranked items among the 114 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	90,711	26	114	980	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	48,483	22	114	873	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	42,228	25	114	908	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	42,851	23	114	653	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	11	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	8	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,150	6	109	451	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	97	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	135	61	109	1,949	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	63	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,347	22	114	741	3,054
Poultry and eggs	3,199	26	113	797	3,020
Cattle and calves	16,199	43	114	829	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,316	51	106	1,255	2,493
Hogs and pigs	21,251	11	112	206	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	62	112	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	197	35	113	1,125	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	45	45	1,491	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	110	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	79,221	21	104	297	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	51,615	1	108	285	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	47,555	30	114	310	3,060
Corn for grain	44,776	30	107	640	2,634
Vegetables harvested for sale	(D)	3	109	(D)	2,794
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	79,412	19	99	187	2,371
Hogs and pigs	59,954	12	111	262	2,958
Cattle and calves	49,442	32	114	586	3,060
Quail	(D)	4	55	(D)	1,386
Layers	3,575	26	113	877	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	245	Farming	489
\$1,000 to \$2,499	64	Other	557
\$2,500 to \$4,999	82	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	103	Male	971
\$10,000 to \$19,999	110	Female	75
\$20,000 to \$24,999	48	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	80	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	46	American Indian or Alaska Native	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	96	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	95	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	35	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	42	White	1,506
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	76,761	More than one race	37
Average per farm (\$)	73,385	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	24,376		
Average per farm (\$)	23,304		

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.