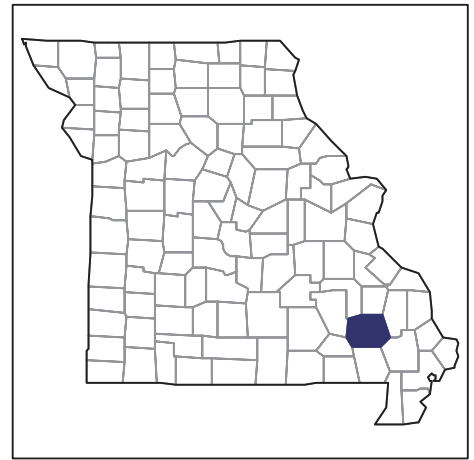


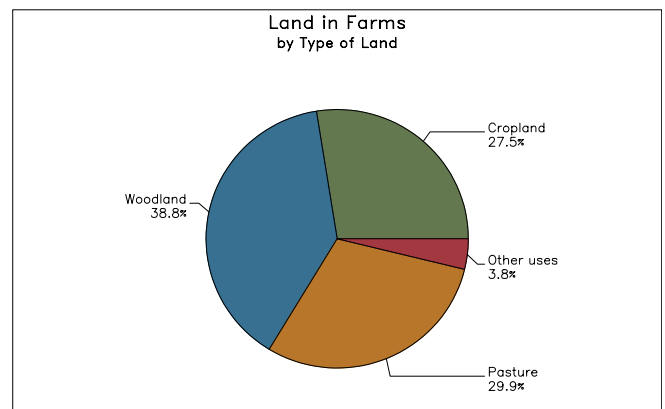
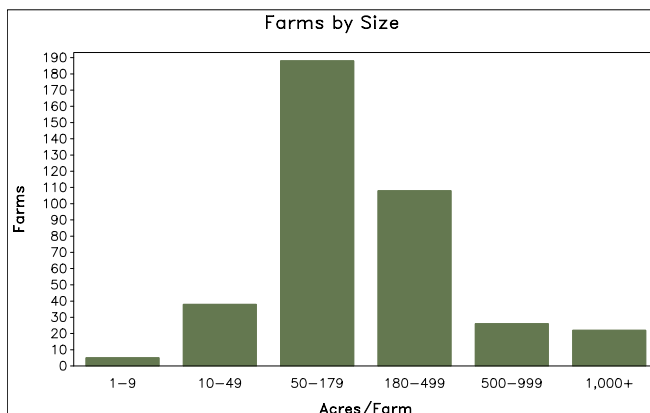
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne County Missouri



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	387	445	- 13
Land in Farms	106,055 acres	113,740 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	274 acres	256 acres	+ 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$6,786,000	\$4,655,000	+ 46
Crop Sales \$1,389,000 (20 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,397,000 (80 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$17,535	\$10,460	+ 68
Government Payments	\$223,000	\$349,000	- 36
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,629	\$2,766	- 5



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Wayne County – Missouri

Ranked items among the 114 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	6,786	112	114	2,737	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,389	102	114	2,709	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,397	104	114	2,398	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,015	87	114	1,976	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	11	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	8	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	77	109	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	97	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	106	109	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	63	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	318	104	114	2,439	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	5,172	97	114	1,683	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	101	106	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	83	85	112	1,429	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	38	83	112	1,861	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	42	91	113	2,307	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	45	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	20	66	110	1,787	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14,276	99	114	1,365	3,060
Soybeans for beans	3,082	83	104	1,302	2,039
Corn for grain	2,127	85	107	1,672	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	362	89	108	1,924	2,481
Corn for silage	250	79	97	1,610	2,263
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	16,763	95	114	1,572	3,060
Goats, all	714	59	113	1,075	3,023
Hogs and pigs	670	83	111	1,323	2,958
Horses and ponies	610	93	114	2,014	3,066
Layers	575	98	113	2,061	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	92	Farming	162
\$1,000 to \$2,499	54	Other	225
\$2,500 to \$4,999	55	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	Male	356
\$10,000 to \$19,999	52	Female	31
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	557
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,640	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	19,742	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-264		
Average per farm (\$)	-682		

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.