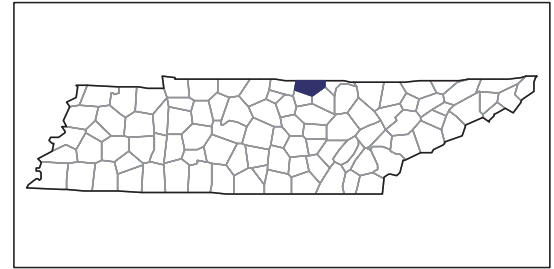


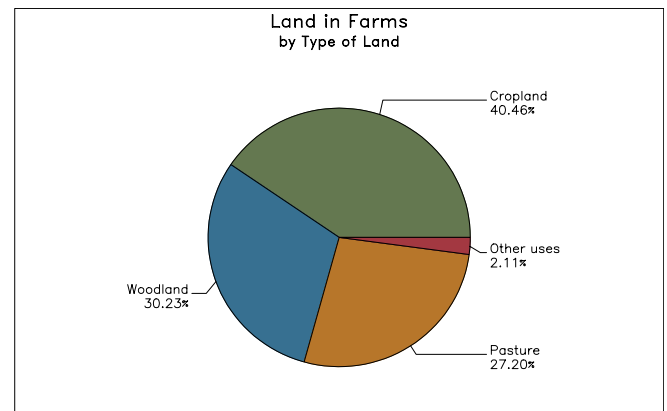
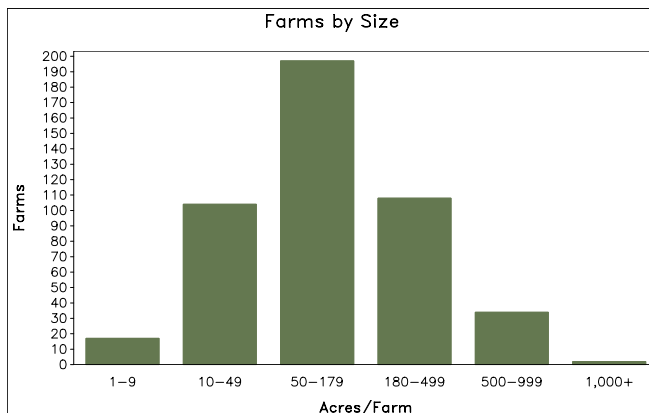
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## County Profile



## Clay County Tennessee

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	462	514	- 10
<b>Land in Farms</b>	77,779 acres	70,265 acres	+ 11
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	168 acres	137 acres	+ 23
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$34,687,000	\$20,746,000	+ 67
Crop Sales \$1,008,000 (3 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$33,679,000 (97 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$75,080	\$40,362	+ 86
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$267,000	\$148,000	+ 80
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,477	\$1,559	+ 59



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### Clay County – Tennessee

#### Ranked items among the 95 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	34,687	25	95	1,873	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,008	81	95	2,797	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	33,679	9	95	1,093	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	65	81	94	2,544	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	16	60	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	25	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	91	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(Z)	79	82	2,651	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	93	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	63	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	25,951	6	94	351	3,020
Cattle and calves	5,891	41	95	1,600	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	9	72	90	2,323	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	11	85	94	2,562	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	36	85	94	2,403	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	1	50	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	2	95	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,806	40	95	1,147	3,060
Tobacco	288	17	60	202	437
Corn for grain	241	81	94	2,195	2,634
Corn for silage	(D)	60	82	(D)	2,263
Soybeans for beans	(D)	79	79	1,998	2,039
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,722,114	3	84	136	2,476
Cattle and calves	23,631	37	95	1,260	3,060
Goats, all	1,038	43	95	722	3,023
Horses and ponies	979	56	95	1,414	3,066
Layers	716	71	94	1,899	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	123	Farming	189
\$1,000 to \$2,499	52	Other	273
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	Male	412
\$10,000 to \$19,999	38	Female	50
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	23	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18	Asian	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	22	White	653
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	30,723	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	66,501	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,162		
Average per farm (\$)	11,173		

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.