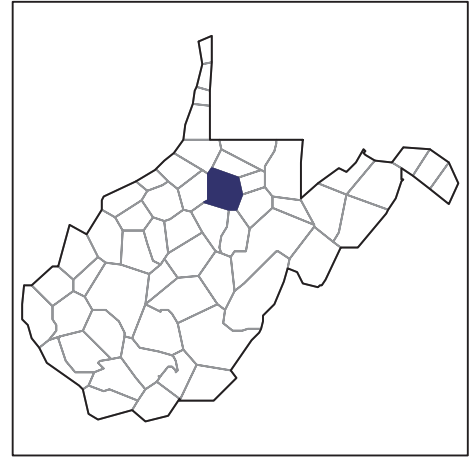


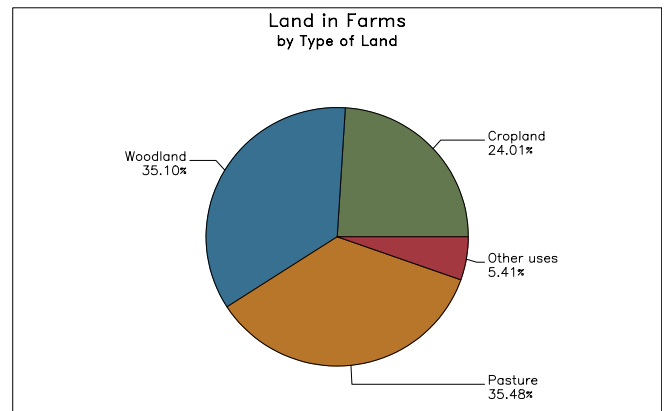
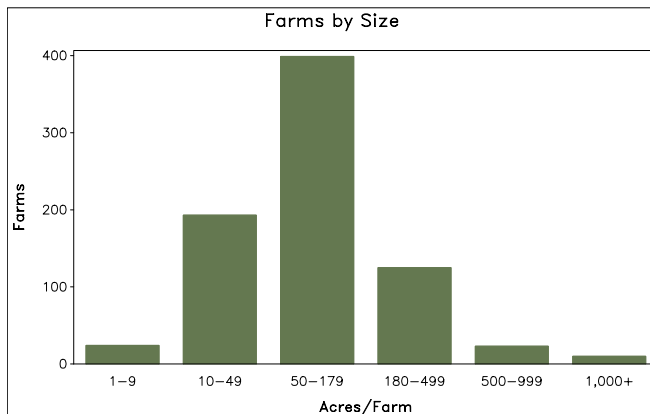
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Harrison County West Virginia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	774	798	- 3
Land in Farms	111,657 acres	119,867 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	144 acres	150 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$6,880,000	\$5,122,000	+ 34
Crop Sales \$1,536,000 (22 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,344,000 (78 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$8,889	\$6,419	+ 38
Government Payments	\$38,000	\$78,000	- 51
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,299	\$2,690	- 52



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Harrison County – West Virginia

Ranked items among the 55 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	6,880	17	55	2,734	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,536	11	55	2,677	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,344	16	55	2,403	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	42	48	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	9	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	49	22	51	2,134	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	8	25	48	2,290	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	677	7	52	1,261	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	35	41	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	799	7	55	1,761	3,054
Poultry and eggs	33	14	55	1,866	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,281	11	55	1,811	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	26	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	13	29	54	2,139	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	45	18	52	1,739	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	242	2	54	960	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	19	27	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	2	54	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	19,803	10	55	1,062	3,060
Corn for silage	(D)	(D)	42	(D)	2,263
Vegetables harvested for sale	23	27	51	2,063	2,794
Apples	15	23	51	851	2,144
Sweet corn	11	20	50	1,265	2,384
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	11,235	12	55	1,907	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,669	2	55	769	3,066
Layers	1,589	15	55	1,241	3,024
Goats, all	630	17	54	1,223	3,023
Sheep and lambs	623	17	49	1,279	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	252	Farming	326
\$1,000 to \$2,499	172	Other	448
\$2,500 to \$4,999	115	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	113	Male	663
\$10,000 to \$19,999	51	Female	111
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	27	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	White	1,064
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	8,235	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	10,640	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-731		
Average per farm (\$)	-945		

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.