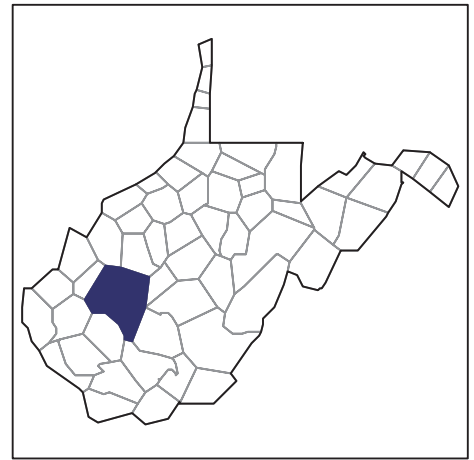


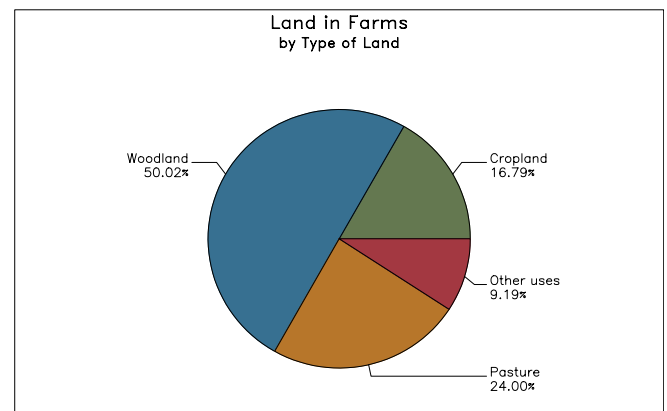
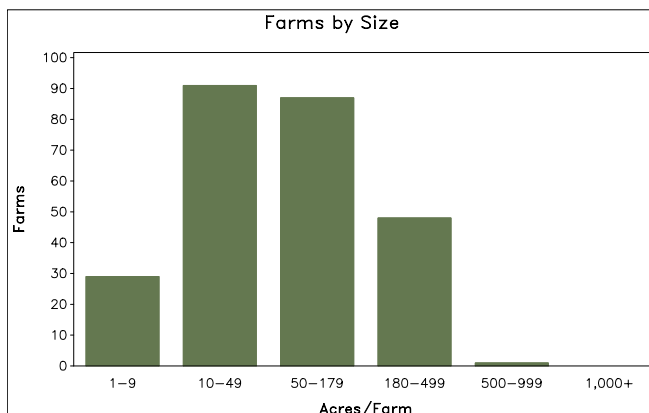
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Kanawha County West Virginia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	256	210	+ 22
Land in Farms	23,755 acres	19,978 acres	+ 19
Average Size of Farm	93 acres	95 acres	- 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$911,000	\$651,000	+ 40
Crop Sales \$302,000 (33 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$609,000 (67 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$3,558	\$3,101	+ 15
Government Payments	\$9,000	\$12,000	- 25
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$582	\$825	- 29



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Kanawha 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	911	46	55	3,017	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	302	43	55	2,981	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	609	45	55	2,956	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7	30	48	2,795	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	9	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2	44	48	2,533	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	41	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	66	48	55	2,898	3,054
Poultry and eggs	7	47	55	2,588	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	48	55	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	26	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	6	37	54	2,417	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	23	28	52	2,198	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	123	12	54	1,535	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	15	27	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	42	10	54	1,443	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,325	48	55	2,681	3,060
Corn for grain	62	25	46	2,386	2,634
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)	3	10	(D)	1,134
Vegetables harvested for sale	22	28	51	2,077	2,794
Sweet corn	11	18	50	1,254	2,384
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,362	48	55	2,859	3,060
Horses and ponies	816	18	55	1,645	3,066
Layers	576	41	55	2,059	3,024
Goats, all	246	32	54	2,082	3,023
Rabbits and their pelts	206	6	47	526	2,574

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	143	Farming	106
\$1,000 to \$2,499	46	Other	150
\$2,500 to \$4,999	35	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	Male	208
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10	Female	48
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	-	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	370
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,603	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	10,167	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-745		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,909		

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.