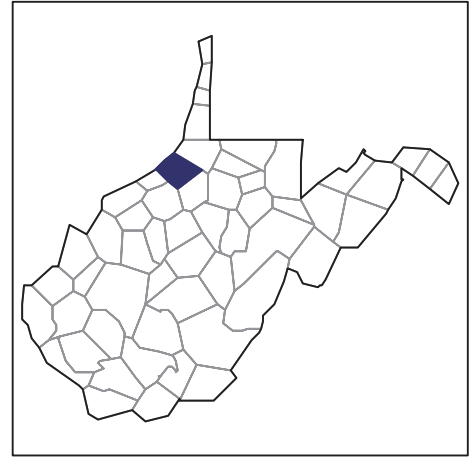


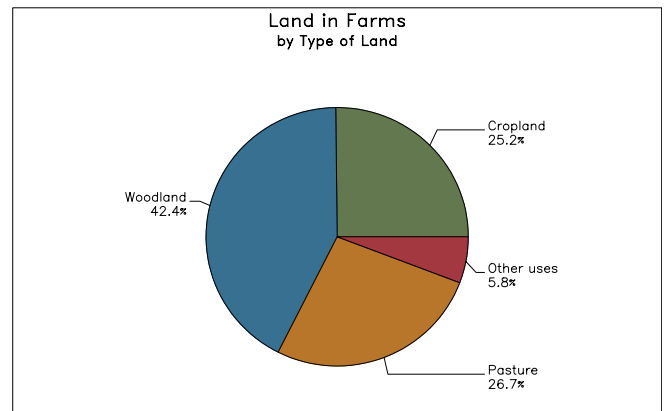
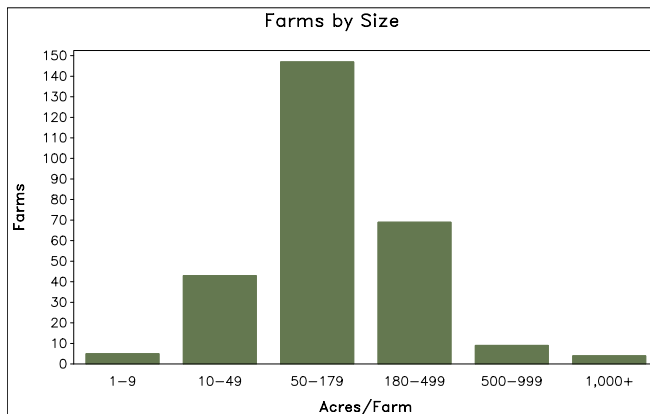
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Tyler County West Virginia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	277	300	- 8
Land in Farms	47,529 acres	53,106 acres	- 11
Average Size of Farm	172 acres	177 acres	- 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,884,000	\$1,452,000	+ 30
Crop Sales \$432,000 (23 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,451,000 (77 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$6,801	\$4,841	+ 40
Government Payments	\$22,000	\$28,000	- 21
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$813	\$1,103	- 26



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County Profile

Tyler 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	1,884	35	55	2,969	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	432	34	55	2,944	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,451	35	55	2,842	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	26	48	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	9	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	46	51	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3	36	48	2,462	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	125	27	52	1,968	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	41	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	290	33	55	2,494	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,136	37	55	2,571	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	193	22	26	1,878	2,493
Hogs and pigs	44	12	54	1,635	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	38	20	52	1,863	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	26	39	54	2,557	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	27	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	50	54	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,988	30	55	1,815	3,060
Corn for grain	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	2,634
Vegetables harvested for sale	14	34	51	2,233	2,794
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	15	20	(D)	2,481
Sweet corn	9	21	50	1,337	2,384
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	3,656	34	55	2,594	3,060
Layers	774	33	55	1,850	3,024
Sheep and lambs	576	19	49	1,346	2,891
Horses and ponies	347	44	55	2,585	3,066
Hogs and pigs	210	9	53	1,806	2,958

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	127
\$1,000 to \$2,499	45	Other	150
\$2,500 to \$4,999	63	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	Male	257
\$10,000 to \$19,999	15	Female	20
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	7	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	391
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,313	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	8,349	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-204		
Average per farm (\$)	-736		

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.