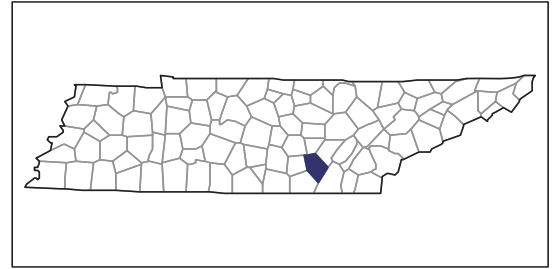


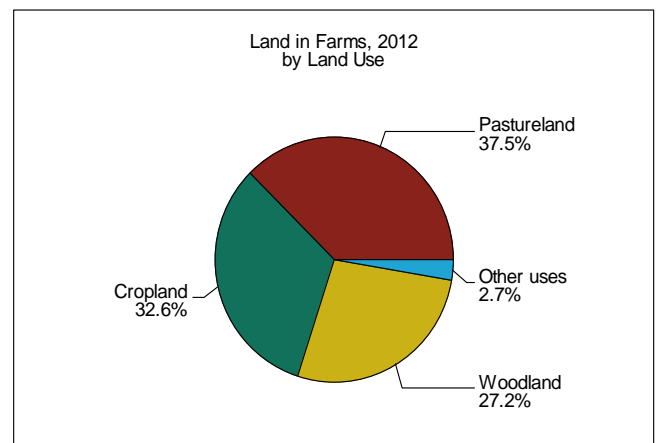
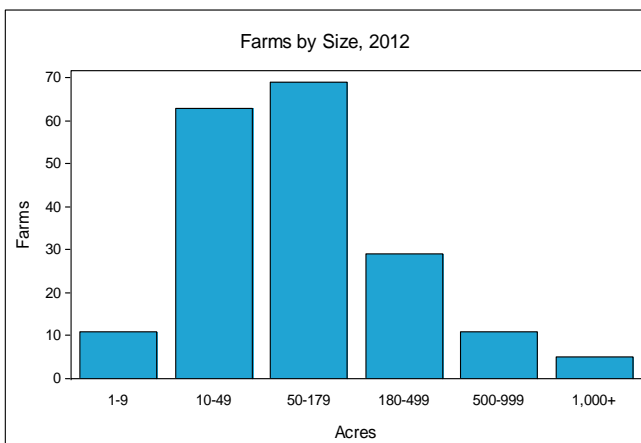
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Sequatchie County Tennessee

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	188	232	- 19
<b>Land in Farms</b>	30,678 acres	28,675 acres	+ 7
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	163 acres	124 acres	+ 31
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$7,032,000	\$4,943,000	+ 42
Crop Sales \$1,062,000 (15 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,970,000 (85 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$37,405	\$21,307	+ 76
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$66,000	\$75,000	- 12
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$2,078	\$1,927	+ 8





## Sequatchie County – Tennessee

### Ranked items among the 95 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	7,032	82	95	2,775	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,062	84	95	2,870	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,970	61	95	2,398	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	762	69	95	2,296	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	56	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	25	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	90	94	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	137	64	93	1,914	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	44	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	142	85	95	2,853	3,049
Poultry and eggs	10	84	94	2,367	3,013
Cattle and calves	5,495	50	95	1,749	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	54	71	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	20	89	94	2,428	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	59	77	94	2,177	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	14	38	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	35	35	95	1,630	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,590	90	95	2,143	3,057
Corn for grain	849	70	95	1,951	2,638
Soybeans for beans	572	68	87	1,779	2,162
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	7,504	80	95	2,144	3,063
Layers	554	85	94	2,315	3,040
Goats, all	254	84	94	1,963	2,996
Horses and ponies	239	90	95	2,674	3,072
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	193	55	93	1,718	2,723

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	53	Farming	73
\$1,000 to \$2,499	23	Other	115
\$2,500 to \$4,999	24	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	162
\$10,000 to \$19,999	25	Female	26
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	5	White	294
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,240	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	33,190	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,138		
Average per farm (\$)	6,054		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<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.