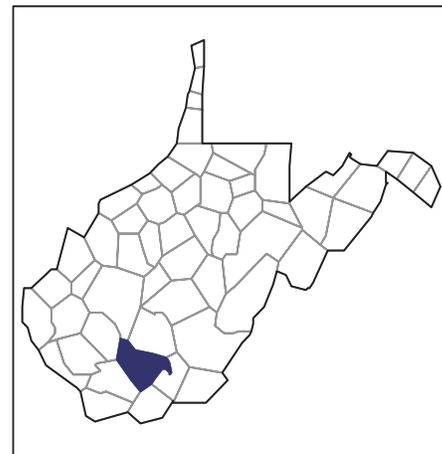


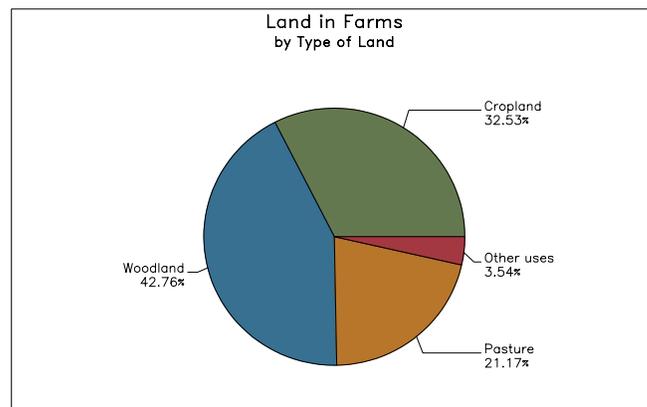
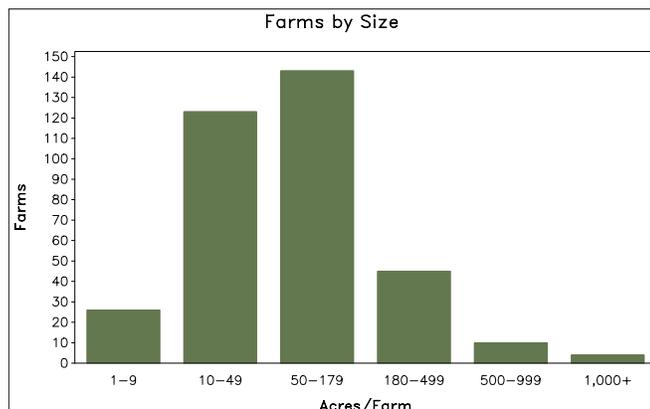
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Raleigh, West Virginia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	351	230	+ 53
Land in Farms	43,401 acres	32,709 acres	+ 33
Average Size of Farm	124 acres	142 acres	- 13
Market Value of Production	\$2,452,000	\$1,978,000	+ 24
Crop Sales \$676,000 (28 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,776,000 (72 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$6,985	\$8,601	- 19
Government Payments	\$16,000	\$12,000	+ 28
Average Per Farm	\$693	\$958	- 28



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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	2,452	33	55	2,951	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	676	28	55	2,881	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,776	32	55	2,800	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	8	28	48	2,782	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	(D)	(D)	48	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	44	35	52	2,267	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1	34	41	1,520	1,710
Other crops and hay	404	23	55	2,288	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,430	32	55	2,483	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(-)	(-)	26	(-)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	21	20	54	1,929	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	23	30	52	2,220	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	184	8	54	1,181	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	27	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	3	49	54	2,396	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	4,115	33	55	2,554	3,060
Quail	700	2	15	466	1,386
Horses and ponies	679	22	55	1,875	3,066
Sheep and lambs	458	20	49	1,497	2,891
Layers	427	47	55	2,266	3,024
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,821	31	55	1,834	3,060
Corn for silage	71	28	42	1,974	2,263
Vegetables harvested, all	52	11	51	1,662	2,794
Cut Christmas trees	48	15	46	704	1,756
Corn for grain	34	30	46	2,441	2,634

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	122	Farming	130
\$1,000 to \$2,499	74	Other	221
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	Male	314
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34	Female	37
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	Asian	(-)
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5	Black or African American	(-)
\$250,000 to \$499,999	(-)	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
\$500,000 or more	(-)	White	495
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,406	More than one race	(-)
Average per farm (\$)	9,704	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	(-)
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-797		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,272		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.