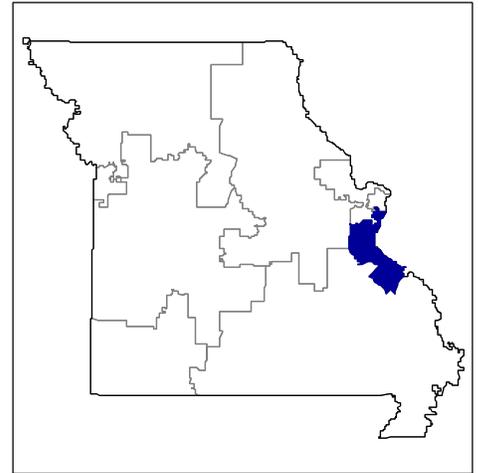




2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile



Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.

District 3, Missouri

Number of farms: 1,491

Land in farms: 317,404 acres

Average size of farm: 213 acres

Irrigated Land: 635 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 2,214

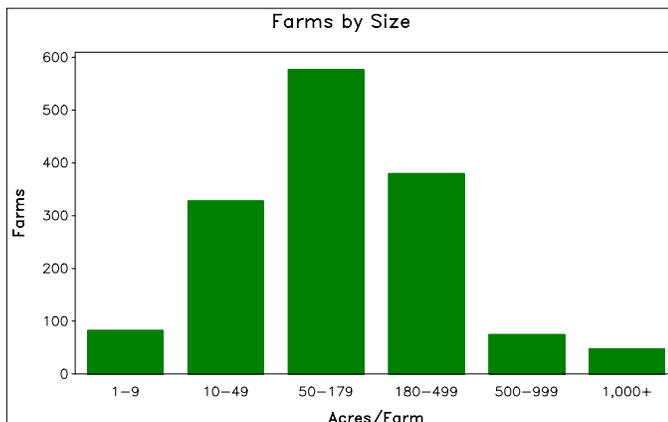
Market Value of Production: \$31,389,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$21,053

Government Payments: \$1,402,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$3,662

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$1,707,000



**2002 Census of Agriculture
Congressional District Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service**

District 3, Missouri

Ranked items among the 9 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

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	31,389	7	9	320	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	8,457	7	9	182	371
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	2	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	501	7	9	337	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	141	9	9	341	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,772	8	9	371	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	349
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	382
Cattle and calves	11,215	6	9	225	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,278	7	8	289	339
Hogs and pigs	2,239	7	9	126	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	398
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	7	(D)	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	40,515	6	9	229	394
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	7	9	(D)	387
Hogs and pigs	13,934	7	8	126	371
Horses and ponies	2,445	6	9	279	408
Sheep and lambs	458	7	9	295	383
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	59,746	6	9	175	391
Soybeans	27,263	7	9	132	269
Corn for grain	15,713	7	9	171	327
All Wheat for grain	6,261	7	9	190	323
All Field and grass seed crops	(D)	6	7	(D)	252

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	354
\$1,000 to \$2,499	272
\$2,500 to \$4,999	197
\$5,000 to \$9,999	250
\$10,000 to \$19,999	167
\$20,000 to \$24,999	42
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ³	72
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ³	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	56
\$100,000 to \$249,999	35
\$250,000 to \$499,999	18
\$500,000 or more	8
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ³	30,631
Average per farm (\$) ³	20,339
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,710
Average per farm (\$)	1,135

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	765
Other	726
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,283
Female	208
Average age of principal operator (years)	56.6
All operators ⁴ by race:	
White	2,167
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	2
More than one race	10
All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	10

(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 congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Value corrected January 2005.

⁴ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.