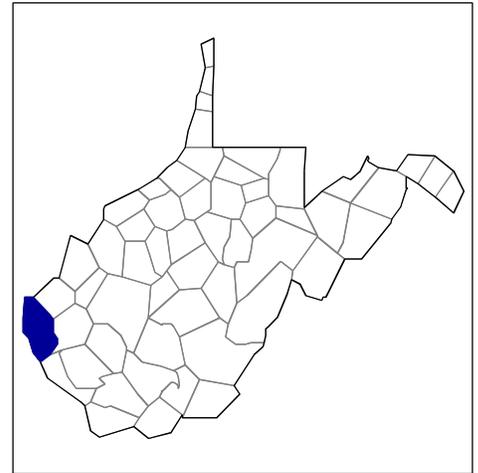


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Number of farms

217 farms in 2002, 181 farms in 1997, up 20 percent.

Land in farms

36,127 acres in 2002, 30,012 acres in 1997, up 20 percent.

Average size of farm

166 acres in 2002, 166 acres in 1997, unchanged.

Market Value of Production

\$1,391,000 in 2002, \$1,410,000 in 1997, down 1 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$823,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$568,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

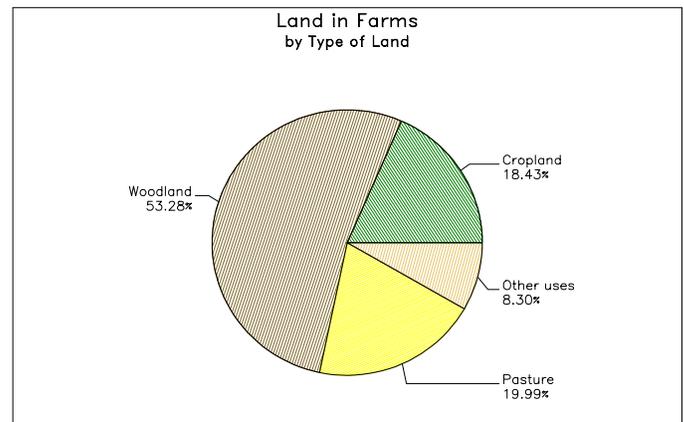
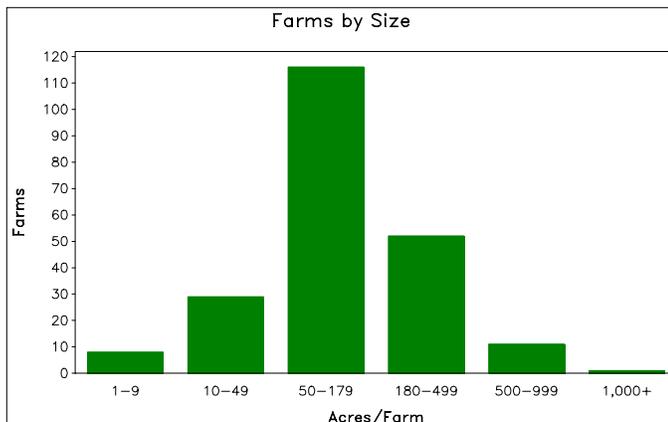
\$6,409 in 2002, \$7,789 in 1997, down 18 percent.

Government Payments

\$51,000 in 2002, \$10,000 in 1997, up 410 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$2,824 in 2002, \$966 in 1997, up 192 percent.



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Ranked items among the 55 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 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	1,391	39	55	2,986	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	823	20	55	2,789	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	568	42	55	2,930	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7	27	43	2,753	2,871
Tobacco	62	8	20	420	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	61	46	53	2,879	3,046
Poultry and eggs	4	35	52	2,329	2,918
Cattle and calves	334	42	55	2,826	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	39	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	5	37	51	2,491	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	9	36	52	2,340	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	20	42	51	2,772	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	2,548	41	55	2,756	3,059
Layers 20 weeks old and older	436	37	52	2,006	2,983
Horses and ponies	319	41	55	2,575	3,065
All Goats	210	34	52	1,775	2,971
Colonies of bees	145	13	52	1,026	2,392
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,760	45	55	2,629	3,059
Corn for grain	230	15	47	2,173	2,592
Corn for silage	65	30	44	2,052	2,307
Tobacco	25	7	22	413	563
All Vegetables harvested	12	31	51	2,172	2,710

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	109
\$1,000 to \$2,499	34
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33
\$5,000 to \$9,999	27
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,972
Average per farm (\$)	9,129
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	26
Average per farm (\$)	118

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	107
Other	110
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	198
Female	19
Average age of principal operator (years)	56.1
All operators ² by race:	
White	271
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	6
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	-

(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.