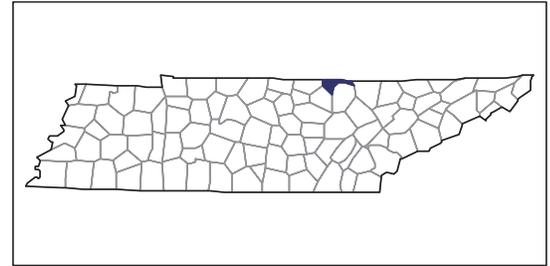


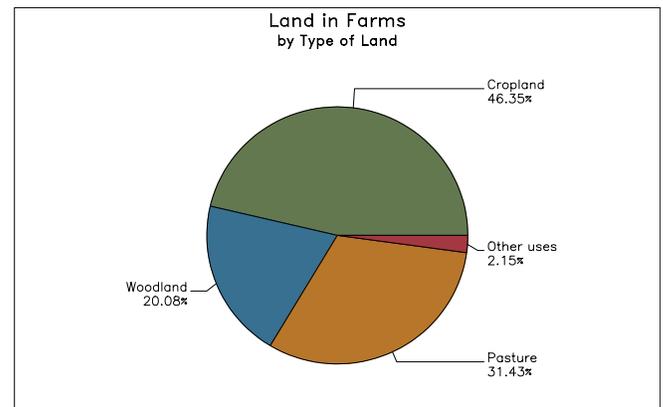
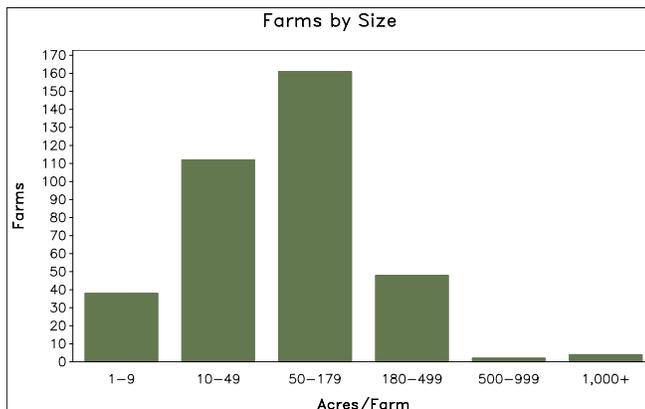
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## County Profile



## Pickett County Tennessee

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	365	401	- 9
<b>Land in Farms</b>	37,916 acres	41,770 acres	- 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	104 acres	104 acres	0
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$11,690,000	\$10,550,000	+ 11
Crop Sales \$553,000 (5 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$11,137,000 (95 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$32,027	\$26,310	+ 22
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$19,000	\$168,000	- 89
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$509	\$2,072	- 75



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#### Ranked items among the 95 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	11,690	66	95	2,537	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	553	86	95	2,910	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	11,137	43	95	1,970	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	70	94	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	215	32	60	302	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	25	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	89	91	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	74	82	2,629	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	63	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	127	77	95	2,800	3,054
Poultry and eggs	6,477	24	94	656	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,236	57	95	1,823	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	381	55	85	1,703	2,493
Hogs and pigs	12	61	90	2,180	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	94	94	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	27	88	94	2,542	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	50	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,044	73	95	1,807	3,060
Soybeans for beans	(D)	69	79	(D)	2,039
Corn for grain	(D)	82	94	2,217	2,634
Corn for silage	(D)	58	82	(D)	2,263
Tobacco	82	30	60	295	437
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	600,000	17	84	368	2,476
Cattle and calves	14,519	55	95	1,689	3,060
Horses and ponies	335	93	95	2,617	3,066
Goats, all	275	86	95	2,004	3,023
Layers	203	92	94	2,653	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	93	Farming	115
\$1,000 to \$2,499	40	Other	250
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	82	Male	336
\$10,000 to \$19,999	54	Female	29
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	21	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	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	4	White	548
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	10,930	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	29,945	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,218		
Average per farm (\$)	3,337		

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.

<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.