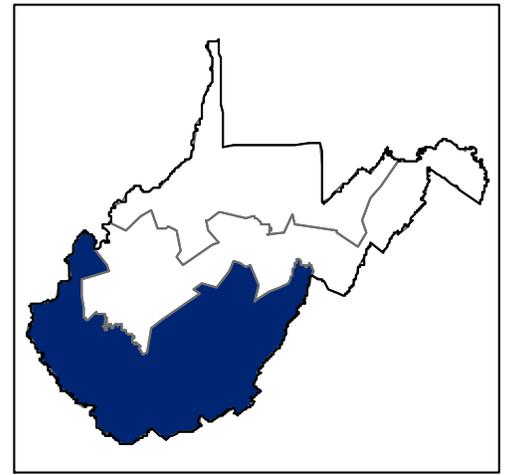


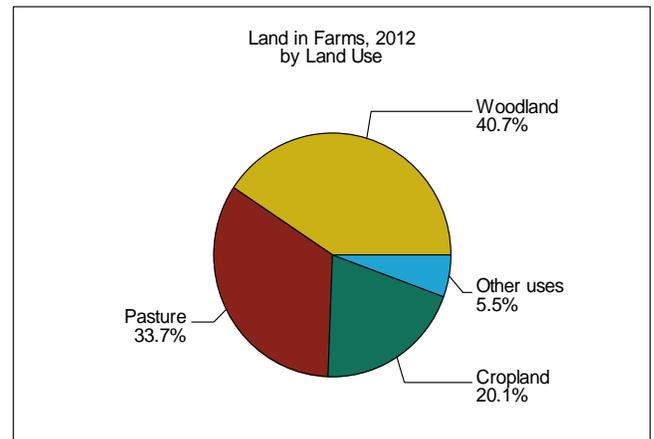
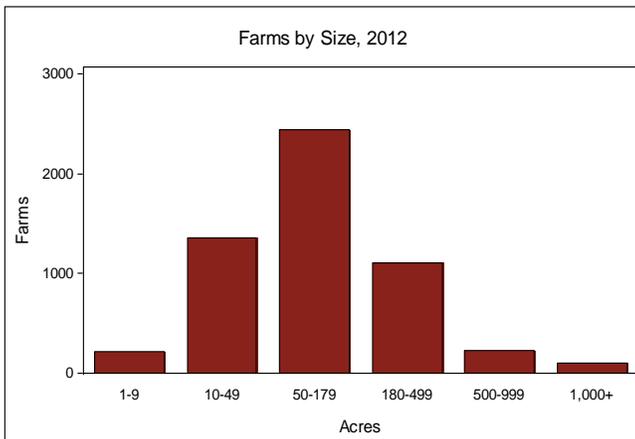
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



### West Virginia 3rd District

	2012
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	8,006
<b>Number of Farms</b>	5,468
<b>Land in Farms</b>	935,315 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	171 acres
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	(D)
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	(D)
Average Per Farm	(D)
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$5,612,000
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,909,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,703



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### West Virginia 3rd District

Ranked items among the 3 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	(D)	2	3	236	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	2	3	295	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	135,978	2	3	181	423
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	10,150	2	3	236	387
Tobacco	160	1	3	64	100
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	3	3	(D)	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,526	2	3	257	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	18,024	1	3	203	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	171	3	3	153	332
Other crops and hay	(D)	3	3	223	398
Poultry and eggs	44,284	3	3	124	405
Cattle and calves	76,636	2	3	117	393
Milk from cows	(D)	2	3	198	310
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3	3	(D)	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	1,161	2	3	133	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,098	1	3	176	402
Aquaculture	1,363	2	3	133	336
Other animals and other animal products	177	3	3	296	413
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	137,730	3	3	99	401
Soybeans for beans	9,397	2	3	168	276
Corn for grain	7,705	2	3	203	356
Corn for silage	4,267	2	3	155	318
Vegetables harvested, all	487	3	3	291	412
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	446,121	2	3	39	356
Cattle and calves	131,444	2	3	136	397
Layers	21,087	3	3	216	405
Sheep and lambs	10,994	2	3	84	392
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	3	3	(D)	365

### Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>		<b>Principal operators by primary occupation:</b>	
Less than \$1,000	1,361	Farming	2,302
\$1,000 to \$2,499	904	Other	3,166
\$2,500 to \$4,999	886	<b>Principal operators by sex:</b>	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	897	Male	4,781
\$10,000 to \$19,999	596	Female	687
\$20,000 to \$24,999	141	<b>Average age of principal operator (years)</b>	
\$25,000 to \$39,999	217	59.9	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	80	<b>All operators by race <sup>2</sup>:</b>	
\$50,000 to \$99,999	160	American Indian or Alaska Native	24
\$100,000 to \$249,999	149	Asian	9
\$250,000 to \$499,999	39	Black or African American	6
\$500,000 or more	38	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	164,139	White	7,878
Average per farm (\$)	30,018	More than one race	22
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	18,067	<b>All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup></b>	
Average per farm (\$)	3,307	73	

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 congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.