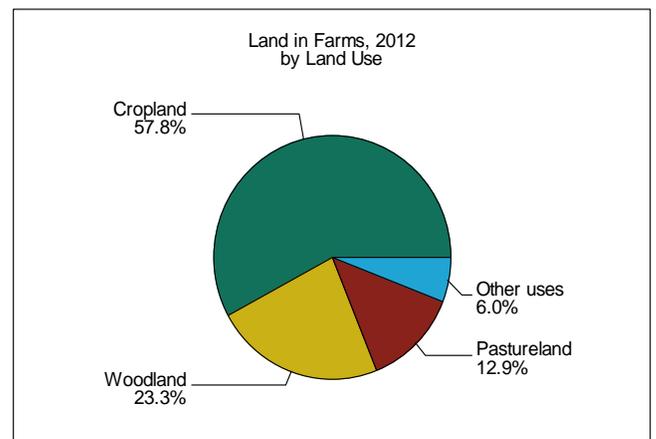
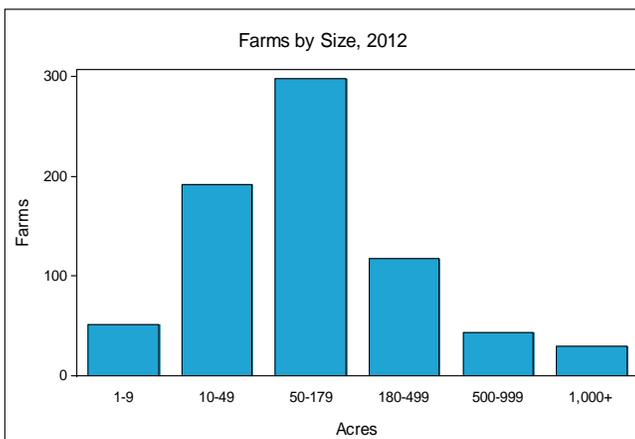


Hopkins County Kentucky

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	731	661	+ 11
Land in Farms	162,955 acres	159,366 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	223 acres	241 acres	- 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$107,727,000	\$77,199,000	+ 40
Crop Sales \$35,144,000 (33 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$72,583,000 (67 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$147,369	\$116,791	+ 26
Government Payments	\$2,662,000	\$1,738,000	+ 53
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,828	\$5,189	+ 51





Hopkins County – Kentucky

Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	107,727	13	120	1,098	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	35,144	20	120	1,382	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	72,583	7	120	674	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	32,450	18	117	1,041	2,926
Tobacco	972	64	104	184	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	76	76	117	1,974	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	12	95	115	2,320	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	528	28	110	1,326	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	34	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,106	56	120	1,836	3,049
Poultry and eggs	54,098	6	120	239	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	120	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	2	113	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	55	51	117	1,853	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	216	47	118	1,187	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	9	35	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	1	108	118	2,767	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	30,643	17	117	794	2,638
Soybeans for beans	29,059	18	102	798	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14,954	60	120	1,253	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	4,551	23	93	1,020	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	4,551	23	93	944	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,544,939	5	116	143	2,723
Pullets for laying flock replacement	171,984	6	112	178	2,637
Layers	(D)	12	120	(D)	3,040
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3	115	(D)	2,889
Cattle and calves	9,596	70	120	1,964	3,063

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	258	Farming	296
\$1,000 to \$2,499	78	Other	435
\$2,500 to \$4,999	88	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	112	Male	632
\$10,000 to \$19,999	57	Female	99
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30	Asian	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	22	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	11	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	34	White	1,089
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	88,199	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	120,655	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	25,823		
Average per farm (\$)	35,326		

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.

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.