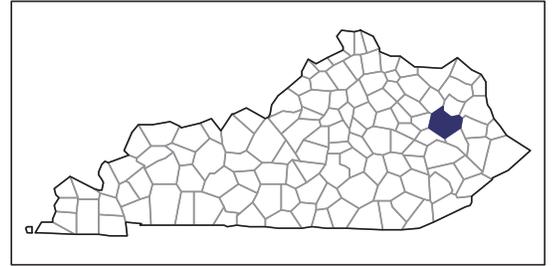


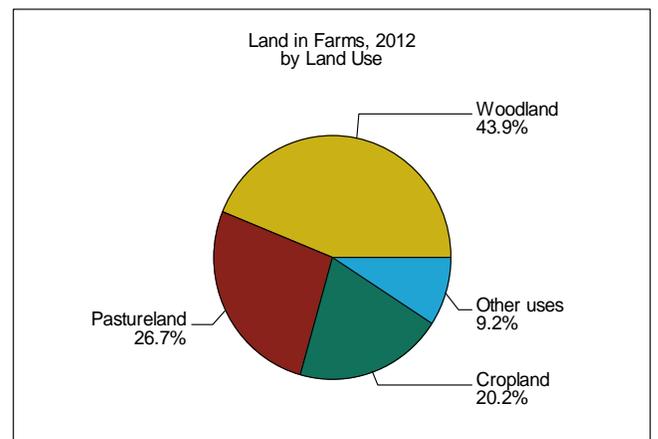
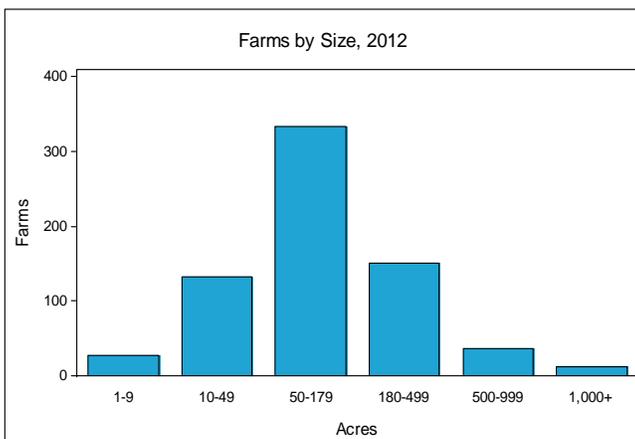
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Morgan County Kentucky

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	694	795	- 13
<b>Land in Farms</b>	118,797 acres	136,303 acres	- 13
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	171 acres	171 acres	0
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$6,897,000	\$6,770,000	+ 2
Crop Sales \$2,896,000 (42 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,001,000 (58 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$9,939	\$8,516	+ 17
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$579,000	\$172,000	+ 237
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$2,237	\$1,060	+ 111





## Morgan County – Kentucky

### Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 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	6,897	88	120	2,781	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,896	91	120	2,614	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,001	81	120	2,547	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	302	99	117	2,508	2,926
Tobacco	574	78	104	215	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	219	41	117	1,480	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3	111	115	2,609	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	67	86	110	2,154	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	34	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,733	34	120	1,462	3,049
Poultry and eggs	43	60	120	1,679	3,013
Cattle and calves	3,697	67	120	2,002	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	81	84	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	3	83	113	2,475	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	44	60	117	2,005	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	167	59	118	1,406	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	17	35	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	4	93	118	2,522	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	16,340	55	120	1,168	3,057
Corn for grain	598	95	117	2,044	2,638
Tobacco	265	65	104	179	437
Corn for silage	258	62	103	1,632	2,237
Vegetables harvested, all	45	51	117	1,668	2,801
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	13,077	61	120	1,722	3,063
Layers	2,521	37	120	1,144	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,125	43	120	1,047	3,072
Goats, all	527	38	120	1,184	2,996
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	318	55	116	1,460	2,723

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	236	Farming	243
\$1,000 to \$2,499	102	Other	451
\$2,500 to \$4,999	79	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	94	Male	630
\$10,000 to \$19,999	70	Female	64
\$20,000 to \$24,999	26	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	45	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	1,028
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,778	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	14,089	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,467		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,114		

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