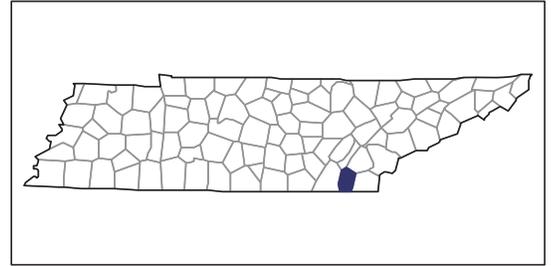


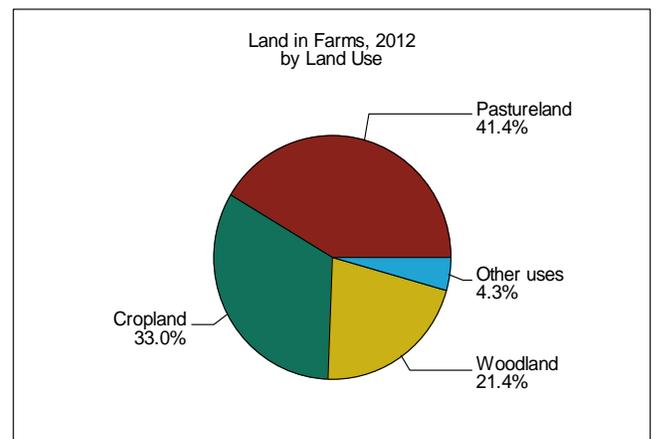
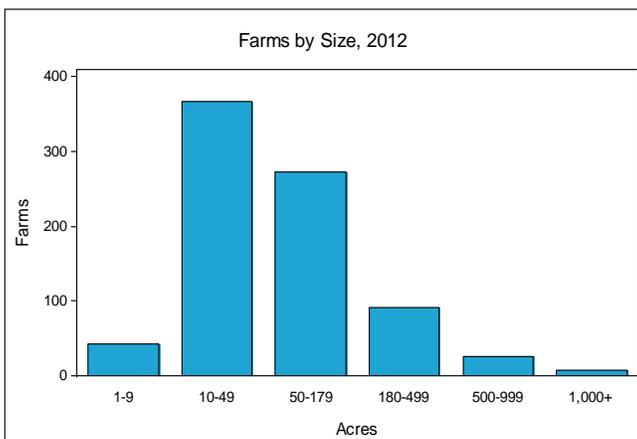
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Bradley County Tennessee

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	807	959	- 16
<b>Land in Farms</b>	86,585 acres	95,602 acres	- 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	107 acres	100 acres	+ 7
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$115,704,000	\$98,461,000	+ 18
Crop Sales \$6,382,000 (6 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$109,322,000 (94 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$143,375	\$102,671	+ 40
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$217,000	\$140,000	+ 55
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,093	\$1,968	+ 57





## Bradley County – Tennessee

### Ranked items among the 95 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	115,704	6	95	1,030	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,382	55	95	2,316	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	109,322	1	95	417	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,447	61	95	2,146	2,926
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	25	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	206	28	94	1,505	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	219	8	91	1,047	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	43	44	1,499	1,530
Other crops and hay	425	48	95	2,497	3,049
Poultry and eggs	93,512	1	94	128	3,013
Cattle and calves	10,664	23	95	1,260	3,056
Milk from cows	4,661	11	71	742	2,038
Hogs and pigs	8	69	88	2,187	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	45	58	94	1,995	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	328	16	94	841	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	103	15	95	1,082	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	19,142	35	95	1,018	3,057
Soybeans for beans	1,660	58	87	1,582	2,162
Corn for silage	1,518	10	76	920	2,237
Corn for grain	677	73	95	2,012	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	667	48	81	1,794	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	5,986,046	1	93	74	2,723
Layers	142,856	3	94	314	3,040
Pullets for laying flock replacement	64,291	6	92	289	2,637
Cattle and calves	27,628	23	95	1,032	3,063
Roosters	16,857	4	83	130	2,120

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	259	Farming	329
\$1,000 to \$2,499	112	Other	478
\$2,500 to \$4,999	78	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	115	Male	710
\$10,000 to \$19,999	86	Female	97
\$20,000 to \$24,999	17	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18	Black or African American	8
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	63	White	1,203
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	103,876	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	128,718	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	18
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,599		
Average per farm (\$)	16,851		

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.