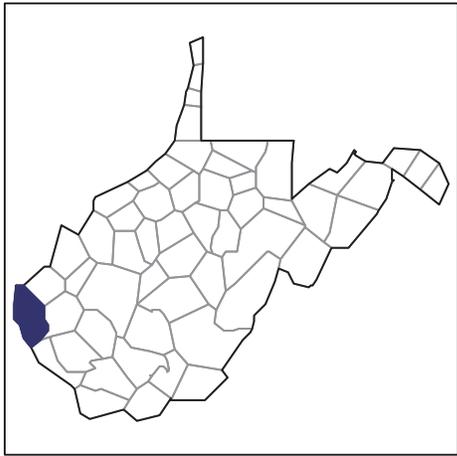


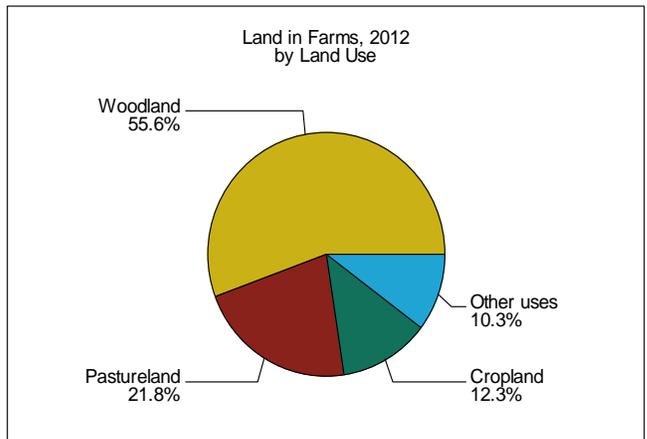
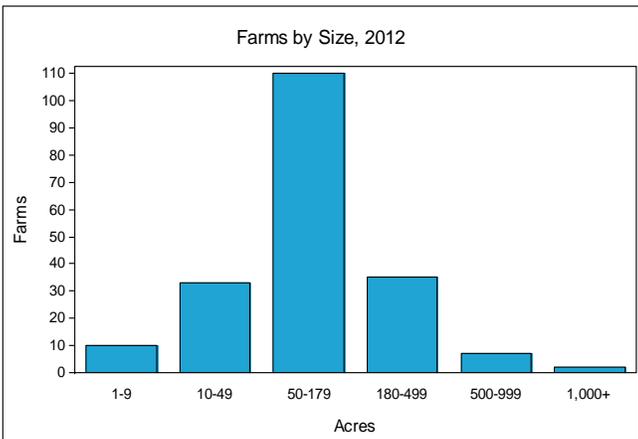
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE

Wayne County West Virginia



	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	197	261	- 25
Land in Farms	30,220 acres	39,845 acres	- 24
Average Size of Farm	153 acres	153 acres	0
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,021,000	\$1,554,000	- 34
Crop Sales \$416,000 (41 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$604,000 (59 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$5,180	\$5,954	- 13
Government Payments	\$24,000	\$7,000	+ 243
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,962	\$839	+ 253





Wayne County – West Virginia

Ranked items among the 55 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	1,021	46	55	3,014	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	416	44	55	2,986	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	604	46	55	2,939	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	14	34	49	2,810	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	45	37	52	2,209	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	21	50	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	159	44	54	2,831	3,049
Poultry and eggs	2	48	54	2,784	3,013
Cattle and calves	497	44	55	2,792	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	30	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	6	38	52	2,275	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	70	18	54	1,662	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	4	50	52	2,928	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	20	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	24	17	55	1,811	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,364	47	54	2,647	3,057
Corn for grain	139	19	48	2,317	2,638
Land in Berries	18	10	52	771	2,339
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,801
Blackberries	(D)	1	42	(D)	1,562
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,906	42	55	2,744	3,063
Layers	413	45	54	2,478	3,040
Goats, all	285	25	54	1,864	2,996
Horses and ponies	259	39	55	2,631	3,072
Colonies of bees	236	11	54	841	2,761

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	81	Farming	77
\$1,000 to \$2,499	29	Other	120
\$2,500 to \$4,999	31	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	Male	177
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Female	20
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	284
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,762	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	8,945	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-537		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,728		

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.