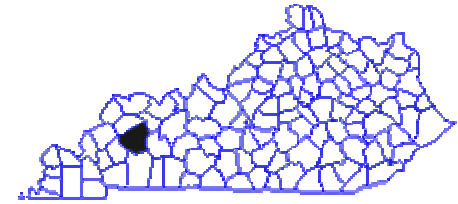




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U.S. CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE FARMS: NUMBER, ACRES, VALUE AND LAND USE, 1909-2002 ^{1/}

Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms (Acres)	Avg Size of Farm	Avg Value of Land & Buildings per Acre (Dollars)	Land Use						
					Cropland			Other Pasture ^{2/}	Other Land	Woodland	
					Harvested	Not Harvested	Pasture ^{2/}			Pasture	Other
1909	3,292	298,263	91	26	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1919	3,473	292,794	84	52	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1924	2,961	247,117	83	38	76,269	47,467	34,514	10,077	29,847	6,785	42,158
1929	2,653	220,043	83	39	69,333	35,989	44,854	7,518	21,093	9,065	32,191
1934	3,092	255,087	83	20	83,337	26,827	35,985	20,812	33,165	11,579	43,382
1939	2,343	236,900	101	23	73,779	18,883	44,750	NA	NA	NA	NA
1944	2,423	246,631	102	36	79,348	31,992	40,110	17,438	27,148	5,901	44,694
1949	2,130	247,663	116	50	77,235	42,736	38,970	7,750	19,526	10,727	50,719
1954	1,516	208,149	137	61	70,232	19,500	28,879	22,368	19,298	9,482	37,390
1959	1,340	201,870	151	103	66,981	26,283	30,160	10,341	21,730	11,361	35,014
1964	1,071	189,326	177	126	56,726	24,290	23,399	18,879	15,970	7,864	42,203
1969	890	170,456	192	206	55,268	22,882	30,745	NA	25,332 ^{3/}	NA	36,229 ^{4/}
1974	828	162,736	197	364	74,510	6,811	30,249	NA	21,193 ^{3/}	NA	29,973 ^{4/}
1978	723	154,720	214	788	80,128	8,722	19,861	10,115	9,479	6,630	19,785
1982	688	158,726	231	1,142	94,701	6,106	17,122	5,494	8,843	6,450	20,010
1987	620	144,862	234	720	67,805	19,357	16,644	8,980	8,535	6,480	17,061
1992	617	144,828	235	897	72,179	13,569	17,717	9,040	5,311	6,427	20,585
1997	538	141,248	263	1,077	80,848	7,646	16,436	8,594	6,524	6,354	14,846
^{5/} 1997	630	152,302	242	1,052	85,542	8,735	17,551	9,584	7,627	6,871	16,392
^{5/} 2002	678	164,163	242	1,301	79,126	15,026	13,571	13,965	10,284	11,479	20,712

^{1/}Due to changes in the definition of a farm, Farm Numbers and Land in Farms are not always comparable from Census to Census. ^{2/}Due to changes in definition and wording of question, figures for Cropland Pasture and Other Pasture are not always comparable from Census to Census. ^{3/}Includes Other Pasture. ^{4/}Includes Woodland Pasture. (NA)Data Not Available. (-)Zero. ^{5/}Shaded 1997-2002 data adjusted for coverage.

U.S. CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE NUMBER OF FARMS, BY SIZE, GROUP, 1909-2002

Year	Size of Farm (Acres)						All Farms	
	1 - 9	10-49	50-179 50-174 ^{1/}	180-499 175-499 ^{1/}	500-999	1,000-1,999 1,000-OVER ^{2/}		2000+
1909	94	1,218	1,675	277	21	7	NA	3,292
1919	123	1,240	1,820	267	16	7	NA	3,473
1924	168	1,035	1,510	223	18	7	NA	2,961
1929	116	991	1,316	210	15	5	NA	2,653
1934	311	1,050	1,458	242	23	8	NA	3,092
1939	181	685	1,185	266	17	9	NA	2,343
1944	244	697	1,141	299	29	13	NA	2,423
1949	184	632	1,000	272	30	12	NA	2,130
1954	94	389	739	264	16	14	NA	1,516
1959	59	364	614	250	40	8	5	1,340
1964	37	231	499	242	45	11	6	1,071
1969	51	171	369	236	46	12	5	890
1974	27	154	391	190	47	13	6	828
1978	38	143	302	165	52	18	5	723
1982	33	142	278	157	51	21	6	688
1987	34	124	259	133	42	24	4	620
1992	30	135	242	145	31	28	6	617
1997	18	123	218	119	25	23	12	538
^{3/} 1997	22	155	256	135	26	24	12	630
^{3/} 2002	31	172	277	132	32	23	11	678

^{1/}1909-1929. ^{2/}1909-1959. (-)Zero. (NA)Data Not Available. ^{3/}Shaded 1997-2002 data adjusted for coverage.

U.S. CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD, 1978-2002

	1978	1982	1987	1992	1997	1997 ^{3/}	2002 ^{3/}
	(Thousand Dollars)						
Value of sales	16,813	20,059	14,732	20,147	27,411	29,460	38,387
a. Crops, including nursery and greenhouse ^{1/}	12,520	D	11,056	14,442	17,242	18,144	13,392
Grains, oilseeds	11,372	15,224	9,747	12,647	15,879	NA	11,843
Tobacco	589	894	488	991	685	714	D
Hay and other crops	258	148	234	263	327	NA	D
b. Livestock, poultry and their products ^{2/}	4,293	D	3,676	5,705	10,169	11,317	24,995
Poultry and eggs	D	D	1	D	2,124	2,829	D
Milk and Other Dairy products	269	311	D	D	D	D	D
Cattle & Calves	2,303	1,408	1,789	1,996	2,437	2,642	2,363
Hogs & Pigs	1,664	1,569	1,746	3,511	5,302	5,538	D

^{1/}Includes a value of crops not listed. ^{2/}Includes values of other livestock and livestock products not listed. (D) Data withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms. (NA) Data not available. ^{3/}Shaded 1997-2002 data adjusted for coverage. Z - Less than half of the unit shown.

U.S. CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE TOTAL & SPECIFIED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENDITURES, 1939-2002

Year	Total	Feed Purchased	Livestock and Poultry Purchased	Hired Labor	Petroleum Products and Utilities	Seed, Plants, Vines, and Trees	Fertilizer, Lime, Soil Conditioners and Chemicals Purchased ^{1/}
	(Dollars)						
1939	NA	87,634	NA	96,098	28,629	NA	47,852
1944	NA	307,067	NA	182,278	NA	NA	NA
1949	NA	381,827	337,176	276,054	208,524	98,278	NA
1954	NA	277,997	NA	150,414	250,108	NA	334,814
1959	NA	444,410	198,335	350,874	304,778	104,495	NA
1964	NA	570,985	294,005	344,335	315,695	148,595	600,735
1969	4,496,000	651,244	525,790	359,485	362,466	185,542	607,712
1974	8,322,000	816,000	352,000	492,000	699,000	554,000	2,166,000
1978	NA	674,000	322,000	749,000	1,175,000	724,000	2,481,000
1982	NA	1,039,000	515,000	1,330,000	1,878,000	1,016,000	3,934,000
1987	10,802,000	519,000	583,000	899,000	1,093,000	784,000	2,640,000
1992	15,040,000	1,572,000	727,000	1,128,000	1,461,000	1,099,000	3,376,000
1997	20,063,000	3,724,000	1,511,000	1,333,000	1,268,000	1,248,000	4,574,000
^{2/} 1997	21,993,000	4,421,000	1,853,000	1,403,000	1,185,000 ^{3/}	1,284,000	4,743,000 ^{4/}
^{2/} 2002	36,427,000	11,002,000	3,700,000	1,772,000	2,497,000	1,561,000	3,696,000

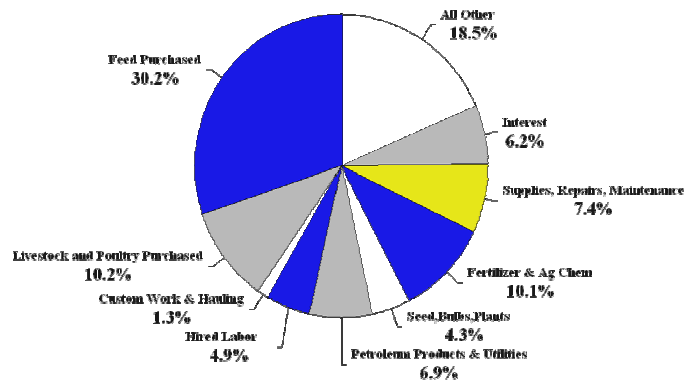
^{1/}1987 - 2002 includes cost of custom applications. (NA)Data Not Available. (D)Data withheld to avoid disclosing information for individual farms. ^{2/}Shaded 1997-2002 data adjusted for coverage. ^{3/} 1997 does not include utilities ^{4/} 1997 does not include lime nor manure.

U.S. CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE OCCUPATION AND AGE, 1987 - 2002

Operators by	1987	1992	1997	1997 ^{1/}	2002 ^{1/}
Principal occupation					
Farming	248	248	208	230	323
Other	372	369	330	400	355
Age group					
Under 25 Years	12	9	5	6	2
25 to 34 Years	67	55	39	47	27
35 to 44 Years	102	104	100	115	137
45 to 54 Years	164	162	112	138	157
55 to 64 Years	135	146	130	144	185
65 and over	140	141	152	180	170
Average Age	52.9	53.1	55.0	54.9	55.3

^{1/}Shaded 1997-2002 data adjusted for coverage.

US CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE SPECIFIED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENDITURES, 2002 HOPKINS



All other includes machine rental, cash rent, property taxes, and other farm production expenditures.

U.S. CENSUS - POPULATION TOTAL, URBAN & RURAL, 1900-2000

Year	Total Population	URBAN			RURAL ^{1/}		
		Population	% of Total	% of Previous Census	Population	% of Total	% of Previous Census
1900	30,995	6,640	21	-	24,355	79	-
1910	34,291	8,897	26	134	25,394	74	104
1920	34,133	8,682	25	98	25,451	75	100
1930	37,449	10,217	27	118	27,232	73	107
1940	37,789	13,627	36	133	24,162	64	89
1950	38,815	13,885	36	102	24,930	64	103
1960	38,458	18,898	49	136	19,560	51	78
1970	38,167	18,162	48	96	20,005	52	102
1980	46,174	20,254	44	112	25,920	56	130
1990	46,126	19,329	42	95	26,797	58	103
2000	46,519	25,205	54	101	21,314	46	80

^{1/} Rural population includes small cities of less than 2,500.

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<u>CROPS - 2003 PRODUCTION</u>	<u>RANK</u>
Corn for Grain	14
Soybean	15
Winter Wheat	19
Sorghum	1
Burley Tobacco	102
Dark Fired Tobacco	*
Dark Air Tobacco	9
Alfalfa Hay	*
All Other Hay	52
Barley for Grain	*

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

Cattle & Calves, Jan 1, 2004	68
Beef Cows, Jan 1, 2004	65
Milk Production	*

* - None or No Estimate Available

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS 1930 - 2004 ^{1/}

Year	All Cattle & Calves ^{2/}	Beef Cows ^{2/ 3/}	Hogs & Pigs ^{4/}
		(Head)	
1930	7,864	NA	5,475
1935	13,059	NA	13,325
1940	10,266	NA	11,327
1945	13,397	NA	13,156
1950	13,305	NA	17,793
1955	15,767	NA	14,562
1960	16,000	NA	18,100
1965	21,600	NA	15,600
1970	18,900	NA	25,300
1975	22,500	NA	16,100
1980	12,000	6,000	16,000
1985	11,500	6,000	9,000
1990	10,500	6,000	21,500
1995	13,000	7,500	26,000
2000	11,300	6,300	22,700
2001	11,500	6,300	NA
2002	12,000	6,300	NA
2003	12,900	7,300	NA
2004	12,000	7,100	NA

CASH RECEIPTS 1980 - 2003

Year	Total Crop Receipts	Total Livestock Receipts	Total Cash Receipts
	(Thousand Dollars)		
1980	17,674	5,212	22,886
1985	18,035	3,867	21,902
1990	15,189	7,312	22,501
1995	17,720	7,010	24,730
2000	15,860	38,953	54,813
2001	18,945	44,272	63,217
2002	17,239	23,123	40,362
2003	18,626	27,016	45,642

MILK COWS & MILK PRODUCTION 1930 - 2003 ^{1/}

Year	Avg. Number of Milk Cows on Farms (Head)	Annual Avg. Production per Cow (Pounds)	Total Milk Production (000 Pounds)
1930	4,399	NA	NA
1935	6,274	NA	NA
1940	5,301	NA	NA
1945	7,781	NA	NA
1950	4,908	NA	NA
1955	3,834	NA	NA
1960	2,150	4,600	9,890
1965	1,500	5,050	7,575
1970	1,100	5,800	6,380
1975	600	7,710	4,626
1980	300	9,000	2,700
1985	NA	NA	NA
1990	NA	NA	NA
1995	NA	NA	NA
2000	NA	NA	NA
2001	NA	NA	NA
2002	NA	NA	NA
2003	NA	NA	NA

^{1/}1930-1955, U.S. Census of Agriculture; 1960-2004 KY Agricultural Statistics Service. ^{2/}Inventory date as of Jan. 1, 1960-2004. ^{3/}Estimates initiated in 1977. ^{4/}Inventory date as of Jan. 1, 1960-65; Dec. 1, 1970-2003. (NA) Data Not Available.

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CORN 1930 - 2003

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested 1/	Yield Harv. Acres	Production
				(Bushels)
1930	NA	38,200	10.2	390,000
1935	NA	42,300	18.7	791,000
1940	NA	42,600	22.0	937,000
1945	NA	34,700	27.3	947,000
1950	NA	33,100	33.0	1,092,000
1955	NA	37,500	37.0	1,388,000
1960	NA	32,400	45.0	1,458,000
1965	25,800	24,000	58.0	1,392,000
1970	30,900	29,000	47.0	1,363,000
1975	35,200	34,700	81.0	2,810,700
1980	31,000	30,600	65.0	1,989,000
1985	33,000	32,400	103.0	3,337,200
1990	25,000	24,400	92.0	2,244,800
1995	27,000	26,800	100.0	2,680,000
2000	28,900	28,700	135.0	3,874,500
2001	29,000	28,200	138.0	3,891,600
2002	22,100	22,000	85.0	1,870,000
2003	27,100	26,900	135.0	3,631,500

1/1930-1955, Harvested for All Purposes. 1960-2003, Harvested for Grain. (NA) Data Not Available.

HAY 1975 - 2003

Year	ALFALFA HAY			ALL OTHER HAY		
	Acres Harv.	Yield Harv. Acres	Prod.	Acres Harv.	Yield Harv. Acres	Prod.
						(Tons)
1975	100	2.00	200	10,700	1.40	15,000
1980	NA	NA	NA	10,000	1.80	18,000
1985	500	2.80	1,400	8,800	1.80	15,800
1990	700	3.40	2,380	13,500	1.90	25,650
1995	500	4.30	2,150	15,900	2.10	33,390
2000	NA	NA	NA	14,600	2.00	29,200
2001	NA	NA	NA	13,500	1.90	25,650
2002	NA	NA	NA	17,500	1.80	31,500
2003	NA	NA	NA	18,000	2.40	43,200

(NA) Data Not Available.

BURLEY TOBACCO 1935 - 2003

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acres	Production
			(Pounds)
1935	50	620	31,000
1940	144	885	127,000
1945	380	835	317,000
1950	325	710	231,000
1955	245	1,110	272,000
1960	190	1,150	218,000
1965	220	1,520	334,000
1970	130	1,740	226,000
1975	130	1,710	222,000
1980	105	1,635	171,500
1985	150	2,035	305,000
1990	160	2,065	330,000
1995	135	1,950	263,000
2000	120	1,950	234,200
2001	96	2,170	208,300
2002	90	1,925	173,400
2003	86	2,205	189,500

(NA) Data Not Available.

WINTER WHEAT 1930 - 2003

Year	Acres Planted 1/	Acres Harvested	Yield Harv. Acres	Production
				(Bushels)
1930	2,700	2,550	15.0	38,300
1935	6,050	5,800	9.9	57,700
1940	6,450	5,870	14.3	84,000
1945	9,530	6,670	11.0	73,400
1950	NA	4,000	15.0	60,000
1955	4,560	4,100	19.0	77,900
1960	NA	1,600	28.0	44,800
1965	2,900	2,400	27.0	64,800
1970	2,000	1,700	29.0	49,300
1975	3,100	2,900	31.0	89,900
1980	3,500	2,800	35.0	98,000
1985	5,800	4,600	32.0	147,200
1990	4,500	3,500	37.0	129,500
1995	5,800	5,500	49.0	269,500
2000	3,400	2,600	61.0	158,600
2001	2,300	1,800	58.0	104,400
2002	2,100	1,900	51.0	96,900
2003	4,400	4,100	54.0	221,400

1/Wheat planted preceding Fall. (NA) Data Not Available.

SOYBEANS 1950 - 2003

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested 1/	Yield Harv. Acres	Production
				(Bushels)
1950	NA	10,800	18.0	196,000
1955	NA	6,900	19.0	131,000
1960	NA	14,300	21.5	307,000
1965	NA	17,000	21.0	357,000
1970	NA	27,500	26.0	715,000
1975	35,000	34,300	26.0	891,800
1980	44,000	42,500	23.0	977,500
1985	36,000	35,100	33.0	1,158,300
1990	40,000	39,400	29.0	1,142,600
1995	33,000	32,700	35.0	1,144,500
2000	38,800	38,500	53.0	2,040,500
2001	35,500	35,000	47.0	1,645,000
2002	40,200	39,800	29.0	1,154,200
2003	38,200	38,100	41.0	1,562,100

1/Harvested for Beans. (NA) Data Not Available.

DARK AIR TOBACCO 1935 - 2003

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acres	Production
			(Pounds)
1935	20	800	16,000
1940	1,900	810	1,539,000
1945	2,000	870	1,740,000
1950	1,185	930	1,102,000
1955	890	1,340	1,193,000
1960	465	1,250	581,000
1965	430	1,720	740,000
1970	215	1,720	370,000
1975	180	1,605	289,000
1980	155	1,625	251,600
1985	175	1,420	248,500
1990	53	2,065	109,400
1995	87	1,910	166,000
2000	117	2,830	331,000
2001	105	2,685	282,000
2002	72	3,320	239,000
2003	90	2,910	262,000

(NA) Data Not Available.