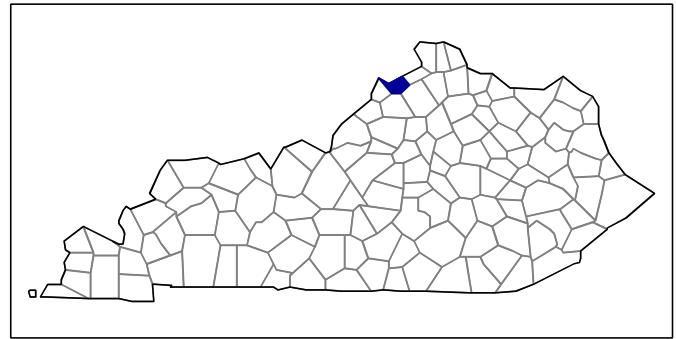




2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile



Carroll, Kentucky

Number of farms

339 farms in 2002, 348 farms in 1997, down 3 percent.

Land in farms

61,122 acres in 2002, 61,166 acres in 1997, down slightly.

Average size of farm

180 acres in 2002, 176 acres in 1997, up 2 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$8,007,000 in 2002, \$8,863,000 in 1997, down 10 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$6,148,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$1,859,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

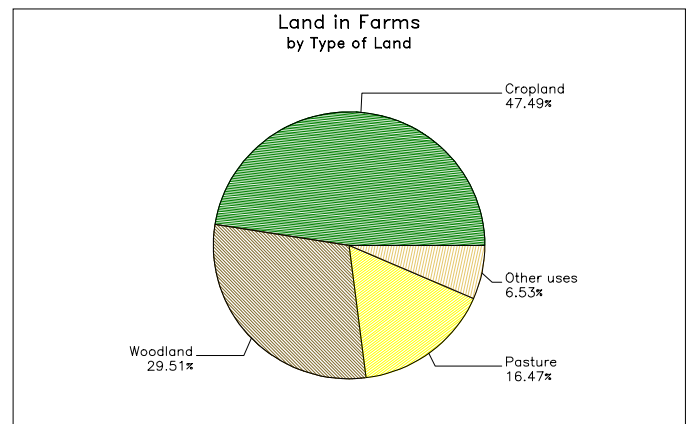
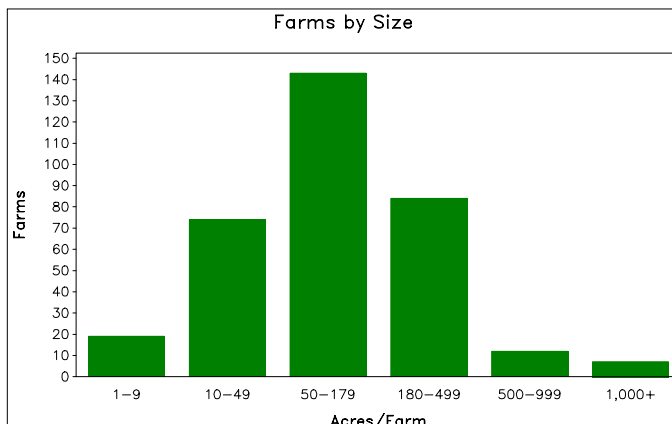
\$23,620 in 2002, \$25,469 in 1997, down 7 percent.

Government Payments

\$79,000 in 2002, \$52,000 in 1997, up 52 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$1,021 in 2002, \$939 in 1997, up 9 percent.



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County Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service**

Carroll, Kentucky

Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	8,007	82	120	2,594	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,148	63	120	1,970	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,859	94	120	2,736	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	117	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	3,093	54	114	150	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	57	67	111	1,982	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	10	72	112	2,216	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	106	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	49	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	191	87	120	2,551	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	1,573	86	120	2,316	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	106	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	8	87	120	2,413	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	47	102	118	2,385	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	51	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	8,220	85	120	2,219	3,059
Horses and ponies	430	93	119	2,309	3,065
Hogs and pigs	(D)	59	112	(D)	2,926
All Goats	226	87	119	1,727	2,971
Layers 20 weeks old and older	88	110	119	2,754	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,982	81	120	1,772	3,059
Soybeans	1,410	62	100	1,456	2,076
Tobacco	963	50	114	136	563
Corn for grain	844	76	117	1,841	2,592
Corn for silage	219	72	106	1,732	2,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	56	Farming	166
\$1,000 to \$2,499	65	Other	173
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	64	Male	305
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Female	34
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	White	501
\$500,000 or more	1	Black or African American	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,391	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	18,852	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,702	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	7,969	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	1

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.

Carroll 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE HIGHLIGHTS: 2002 AND 1997

--- ITEM ---

	ALL FARMS	
	2002	1997
Farms.....number..	339	348
Land in farms.....acres..	61,122	61,166
Average size of farm.....acres..	180	176
Median size of farm.....acres..	120	N/A
Estimated market value of land and buildings 1/:		
Average per farm.....dollars..	354,772	189,053
Average per acre.....dollars..	2,071	1,282
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment 1/:		
Average per farm.....dollars..	36,354	29,052
Farms by size:		
1 to 9 acres..	19	34
10 to 49 acres..	74	59
50 to 179 acres..	143	150
180 to 499 acres..	84	85
500 to 999 acres..	12	13
1,000 acres or more..	7	7
Total cropland.....farms..		
acres..	329	319
Harvested cropland.....farms..		
acres..	29,027	29,354
farms..	284	305
acres..	13,407	12,072
Irrigated land.....farms..		
acres..	50	64
farms..	353	782
Market value of agricultural products sold.\$1,000..		
Average per farm.....dollars..	8,007	8,863
dollars..	23,620	25,469
Crops (including nursery and greenhouse)...\$1,000..		
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000..	6,148	6,682
\$1,000..	1,859	2,181
Principal operator by primary occupation:		
Farming.....number..	166	144
Other.....number..	173	204
Principal operator by days worked off farm:		
Any.....number..	218	215
200 days or more.....number..	163	163

1/ Data are based on a sample of farms.

Legend:

- Represents zero.
- (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.
- (NA) Not available or not published. Some historic data are not published because they are not comparable, electronic files are unavailable, or re-summarizing could compromise respondent confidentiality.
- (X) Not applicable
- (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

There is a significant difference in the measurements from the 1997 Census of Agriculture to the 2002 Census of Agriculture. For the first time, data for every county and state have been statistically adjusted to account for farms missed or misclassified in the census. For more information go to:
<http://www.usda.gov/nass/events/news/methodology.htm>

Carroll 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE HIGHLIGHTS: 2002 AND 1997
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	ALL FARMS	
	2002	1997
Livestock and poultry:		
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms..	193	204
number..	8,220	8,364
Beef cows.....farms..	171	186
number..	(D)	4,868
Milk cows.....farms..	4	9
number..	(D)	200
Cattle and calves sold.....farms..	170	191
number..	3,588	4,160
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms..	4	6
number..	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms..	4	5
number..	(D)	3,718
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms..	2	1
number..	(D)	(D)
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory....farms..	5	1
number..	88	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..farms..	1	-
number..	(D)	-
Selected crops harvested:		
Corn for grain.....farms..	23	29
acres..	844	592
bushels..	81,411	44,878
Winter wheat for grain.....farms..	4	(NA)
acres..	134	(NA)
bushels..	4,830	(NA)
Barley for grain.....farms..	-	-
acres..	-	-
bushels..	-	-
Sorghum for grain.....farms..	-	-
acres..	-	-
bushels..	-	-
Soybeans for beans.....farms..	12	11
acres..	1,410	619
bushels..	39,741	21,030
Tobacco.....farms..	165	235
acres..	963	1,963
pounds..	1,760,877	3,886,881
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop.....farms..	206	(NA)
acres..	9,982	(NA)
tons, dry..	18,712	(NA)
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms..	11	3
acres..	22	6
Land in orchards.....farms..	6	5
acres..	6	18

Source:

2002 Census of Agriculture, Volume 1 Geographic Area Series, Chapter 1 State Data and Chapter 2 - County Data. This presents summary statistics for Kentucky and each county with comparable data from the 1997 census. Data for 2002 and 1997 are directly comparable for acreage and inventories. Dollar values have not been adjusted for changes in price levels.