

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Henry, Kentucky

Number of farms

883 farms in 2002, 1,022 farms in 1997, down 14 percent.

Land in farms

141,592 acres in 2002, 150,585 acres in 1997, down 6 percent.

Average size of farm

160 acres in 2002, 147 acres in 1997, up 9 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$25,637,000 in 2002, \$36,830,000 in 1997, down 30 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$14,567,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$11,070,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

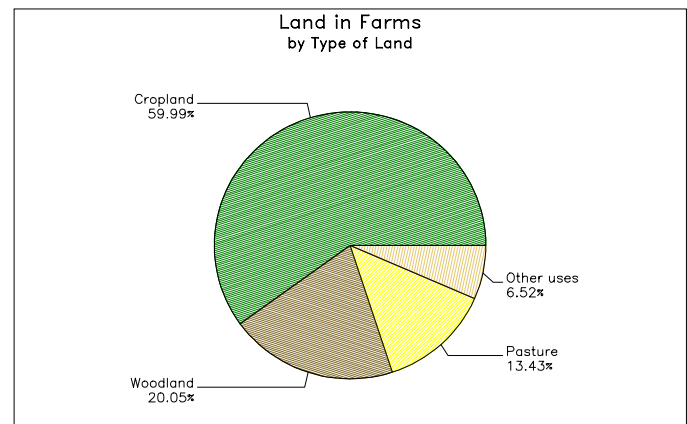
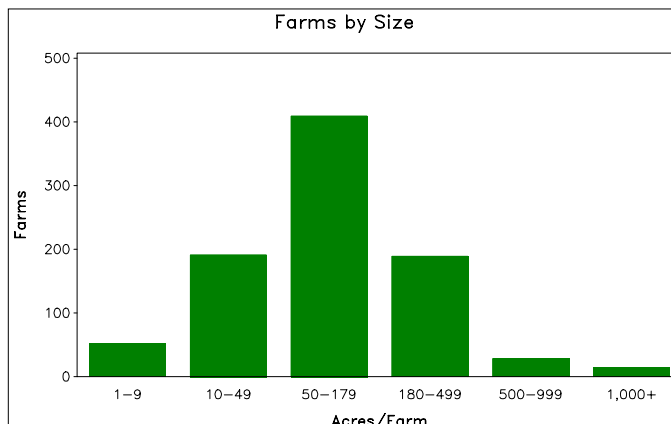
\$29,034 in 2002, \$36,037 in 1997, down 19 percent.

Government Payments

\$444,000 in 2002, \$293,000 in 1997, up 52 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$2,327 in 2002, \$1,338 in 1997, up 74 percent.



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

Henry, 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	25,637	45	120	1,868	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	14,567	21	120	1,401	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	11,070	54	120	1,795	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	117	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	114	(D)	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	124	34	111	1,604	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	9	75	112	2,248	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	933	27	120	1,305	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	7,130	34	120	1,237	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,814	26	106	864	2,493
Hogs and pigs	468	27	111	1,058	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	26	39	120	1,728	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	627	23	118	269	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	30,727	30	120	1,039	3,059
Horses and ponies	1,309	37	119	934	3,065
Hogs and pigs	1,033	40	112	1,336	2,926
Layers 20 weeks old and older	630	47	119	1,729	2,983
Sheep and lambs	565	15	108	1,369	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	38,456	20	120	512	3,059
Soybeans	4,341	43	100	1,230	2,076
Tobacco	2,334	7	114	47	563
Corn for grain	1,999	56	117	1,562	2,592
Corn for silage	1,499	21	106	907	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	145	Farming	523
\$1,000 to \$2,499	80	Other	360
\$2,500 to \$4,999	99		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	166	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	158	Male	805
\$20,000 to \$24,999	47	Female	78
\$25,000 to \$39,999	71		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	25	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	40		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	39	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	White	1,254
\$500,000 or more	3	Black or African American	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	22,318	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
Average per farm (\$)	25,448	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,775	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	5,444	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	12

(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.

Henry 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE HIGHLIGHTS: 2002 AND 1997

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	ALL FARMS	
	2002	1997
Farms.....number..	883	1,022
Land in farms.....acres..	141,592	150,585
Average size of farm.....acres..	160	147
Median size of farm.....acres..	108	N/A
Estimated market value of land and buildings 1/:		
Average per farm.....dollars..	358,936	239,361
Average per acre.....dollars..	2,398	1,764
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment 1/:		
Average per farm.....dollars..	41,720	36,027
Farms by size:		
1 to 9 acres..	52	97
10 to 49 acres..	191	220
50 to 179 acres..	409	462
180 to 499 acres..	189	196
500 to 999 acres..	28	33
1,000 acres or more..	14	14
Total cropland.....farms..	845	965
acres..	84,944	100,644
Harvested cropland.....farms..	753	901
acres..	47,967	45,037
Irrigated land.....farms..	121	225
acres..	828	2,774
Market value of agricultural products sold.\$1,000..	25,637	36,830
Average per farm.....dollars..	29,034	36,037
Crops (including nursery and greenhouse)...\$1,000..	14,567	25,653
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000..	11,070	11,177
Principal operator by primary occupation:		
Farming.....number..	523	453
Other.....number..	360	569
Principal operator by days worked off farm:		
Any.....number..	482	634
200 days or more.....number..	360	467

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>

Henry 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.. 508	614
	number.. 30,727	31,215
Beef cows.....	farms.. 451	517
	number.. 14,574	14,741
Milk cows.....	farms.. 25	39
	number.. 1,545	2,381
Cattle and calves sold.....	farms.. 449	595
	number.. 14,999	15,793
Hogs and pigs inventory.....	farms.. 11	15
	number.. 1,033	689
Hogs and pigs sold.....	farms.. 11	11
	number.. 5,723	1,074
Sheep and lambs inventory.....	farms.. 15	10
	number.. 565	401
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory.....	farms.. 18	15
	number.. 630	221
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....	farms.. -	-
	number.. -	-
Selected crops harvested:		
Corn for grain.....	farms.. 60	100
	acres.. 1,999	4,094
	bushels.. 149,812	290,158
Winter wheat for grain.....	farms.. 19	29
	acres.. 421	598
	bushels.. 12,897	20,464
Barley for grain.....	farms.. -	-
	acres.. -	-
	bushels.. -	-
Sorghum for grain.....	farms.. 1	4
	acres.. (D)	13
	bushels.. (D)	573
Soybeans for beans.....	farms.. 29	30
	acres.. 4,341	2,090
	bushels.. 86,553	61,806
Tobacco.....	farms.. 452	710
	acres.. 2,334	5,687
	pounds.. 4,794,787	12,257,689
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop.....	farms.. 616	(NA)
	acres.. 38,456	(NA)
	tons, dry.. 81,103	(NA)
Vegetables harvested for sale.....	farms.. 15	6
	acres.. 82	(D)
Land in orchards.....	farms.. 11	10
	acres.. 51	51

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.