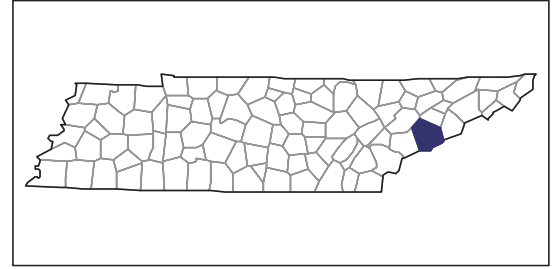


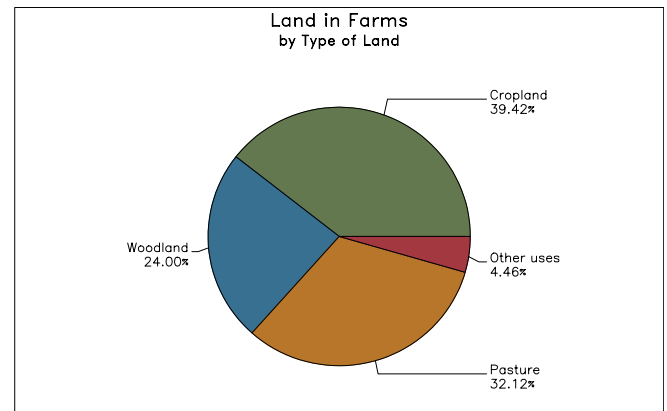
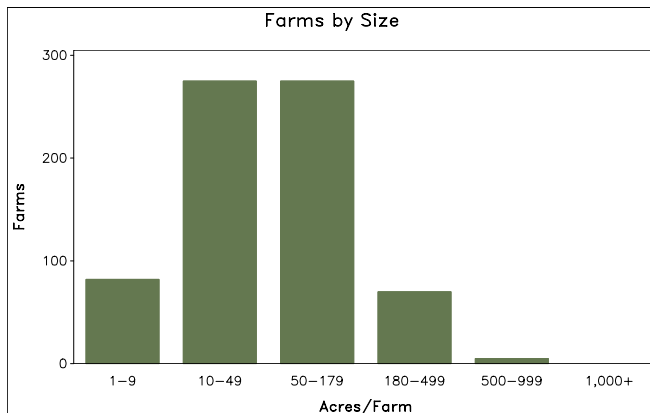
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Sevier, Tennessee

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	707	907	- 22
Land in Farms	56,449 acres	75,365 acres	- 25
Average Size of Farm	80 acres	83 acres	- 4
Market Value of Production	\$6,783,000	\$9,866,000	- 31
Crop Sales \$1,032,000 (15 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,751,000 (85 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$9,593	\$10,878	- 12
Government Payments	\$16,000	\$75,000	- 79
Average Per Farm	\$518	\$885	- 42



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Sevier, Tennessee

Ranked items among the 95 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	6,783	75	95	2,738	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,032	80	95	2,784	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,751	62	95	2,375	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	61	83	94	2,555	2,933
Tobacco	24	53	60	384	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	25	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	53	50	91	2,111	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	550	45	93	1,367	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	63	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	330	39	95	2,409	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	26	65	94	2,135	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	239	40	94	972	3,024
Aquaculture	(-)	(-)	50	(-)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	93	8	95	1,045	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	14,858	53	95	1,671	3,060
Layers	1,754	40	94	1,184	3,024
Horses and ponies	1,619	32	95	790	3,066
Goats, All	640	67	95	1,207	3,023
Colonies of bees	308	11	94	782	2,640
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	13,241	53	95	1,434	3,060
Corn for grain	187	84	94	2,236	2,634
Soybeans for beans	111	74	79	1,878	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	66	81	(D)	2,481
Apples	60	4	86	437	2,144

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	264	Farming	269
\$1,000 to \$2,499	107	Other	438
\$2,500 to \$4,999	104	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	98	Male	587
\$10,000 to \$19,999	67	Female	120
\$20,000 to \$24,999	14	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	(-)
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8	Black or African American	(-)
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
\$500,000 or more	1	White	991
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	8,097	More than one race	12
Average per farm (\$)	11,453	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	10
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-267		
Average per farm (\$)	-378		

(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.