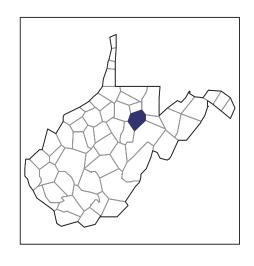
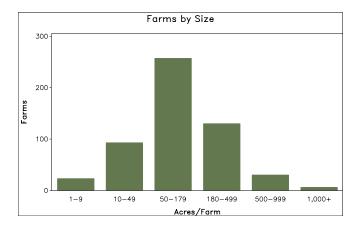
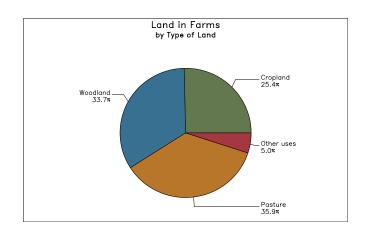


## Barbour, West Virginia



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	539	445	+ 21
Land in Farms	91,017 acres	78,526 acres	+ 16
Average Size of Farm	169 acres	176 acres	- 4
Market Value of Production	\$7,155,000	\$3,878,000	+ 85
Crop Sales \$1,368,000 (19 percent) Livestock Sales \$5,787,000 (81 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$13,275	\$8,715	+ 52
Government Payments	\$15,000	\$95,000	- 85
Average Per Farm	\$488	\$4,123	- 88







**County Profile** 

## **Barbour, West Virginia**

Ranked items among the 55 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  Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse  Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	7,155 1,368 5,787	16 13 15	55 55 55	2,727 2,712 2,371	3,076 3,072 3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)	5,767	15	55	2,371	3,069
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Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco	8 (-)	29 (-)	48	2,786	2,933 437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-) (-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	7	42	51	2,574	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	6	31	48	2,366	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	812	6	52	1,179	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	5	28	41	1,319	1,710
Other crops and hay	531 27	14 19	55	2,104	3,054
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves	5.132	19	55 55	1,984 1.687	3,020 3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	494	10	26	1,622	2,493
Hogs and pigs	20	21	54	1,955	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	52	33	54	2,184	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	27	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	40	11	54	1,457	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	10,980	14	55	1,923	3,060
Layers	900	29	55	1,717	3,024
Horses and ponies	675	23	55	1,881	3,066
Sheep and lambs	326 305	27 31	49 54	1,740 1,930	2,891 3,023
Goats, All	305	31	54	1,930	3,023
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,867	11	55	1,144	3,060
Corn for silage	97	24	42	1,913	2,263
Corn for grain Cut Christmas trees	19 15	36 35	46 46	2,489 1,153	2,634 1.756
Land in Berries	15	10	51	1,153	2,237

## **Other County Highlights**

<b>Economic Characteristics</b>	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	151
\$1,000 to \$2,499	85
\$2,500 to \$4,999	83
\$5,000 to \$9,999	78
\$10,000 to \$19,999	67
\$20,000 to \$24,999	17
\$25,000 to \$39,999	27
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4
\$500,000 or more	(-)
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,874
Average per farm (\$)	12,754
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	732
Average per farm (\$)	1,358

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	229
Other	310
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	484
Female	55
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.8
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Asian	1
Black or African American	(-)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	773
More than one race	3
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	3

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

Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.