

2011 STATE AGRICULTURE OVERVIEW

Tennessee

Farms

Number of Farms	77,300
Land in Farms (acres)	10,800,000
Average Farm Size (acres)	140

Livestock Inventory

Cattle and Calves - All (Jan. 1, 2012)	1,970,000
Hogs & Pigs - All (Dec. 1, 2011)	170,000
Sheep (Jan. 1, 2012)	35,000

Milk

Milk Cows (Average head)	50,000
Milk Production per Cow (lbs)	16,200
Production (lbs)	810,000,000

Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price (MYA), Value of Production

Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Field & Misc Crops						2,170,939,000
Corn For Grain	790,000	735,000	131.0 bus	96,285,000 bus	6.500 dols/bu	625,853,000
Soybeans	1,290,000	1,250,000	32.0 bus	40,000,000 bus	12.000 dols/bu	480,000,000
Cotton Upland	495,000	490,000	796.0 lbs	813,000 bales	0.928 dols/lb	369,715,000
Hay All (Dry)		1,880,000	2.1 tons	3,976,000 tons	83.500 dols/ton	331,716,000
Hay Other (Dry)		1,860,000	2.1 tons	3,906,000 tons	81.000 dols/ton	316,386,000
Wheat Winter All	420,000	310,000	69.0 bus	21,390,000 bus	6.850 dols/bu	146,522,000
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Tobacco All (All Classes)		22,000	2,062.0 lbs	45,363,000 lbs	2.157 dols/lb	97,859,000
Cotton Seed				272,000 tons	260.000 dols/ton	70,980,000
Tobacco Fire-cured Class 2 (21-24)		6,900	2,890.0 lbs	19,941,000 lbs	2.590 dols/lb	51,647,000
Tobacco Air-Cured Light Burley (Type 31)		14,000	1,610.0 lbs	22,540,000 lbs	1.760 dols/lb	39,670,000
Hay Alfalfa (Dry)		20,000	3.5 tons	70,000 tons	219.000 dols/ton	15,330,000
Tobacco Air-Cured Dark Class 3B (35-37)		1,100	2,620.0 lbs	2,882,000 lbs	2.270 dols/lb	6,542,000
Principal Crops	4,897,000	4,725,000				
Cotton All	495,000	490,000	796.0 lbs	813,000 bales		
Alfalfa & Alfalfa Mixtures - New Seedings	5,000					

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Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Corn For Silage		38,000	17.0 tons	646,000 tons		

USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service. Data as of 05/14/2012

2007 Census of Agriculture State Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, Tennessee Agricultural Statistics Service
Tennessee - Ranked items within U.S. 2007

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	2,617,394	33	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,147,786	31	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,469,608	31	50

VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)

Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	496,727	26	50
Tobacco	70,634	4	17
Cotton and cottonseed	147,468	10	17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	71,870	26	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,552	44	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	325,079	14	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2,018	26	49
Other crops and hay	31,438	41	50
Poultry and eggs	572,866	21	50
Cattle and calves	633,303	20	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	180,503	29	50
Hogs and pigs	33,797	30	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	6,712	28	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	31,212	11	50
Aquaculture	4,893	29	50
Other animals and other animal products	6,322	36	50

TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)

Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greench	1,784,808	12	50
Soybeans for beans	976,011	17	40
Corn for grain	780,608	19	49
Cotton, all	504,057	6	17
Wheat for grain, all	254,944	24	47

TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	41,040,292	15	50
Cattle and calves	2,122,018	15	50
Layers	1,713,388	34	50
Pullets for laying flock replacement	973,937	26	50
Horses and ponies	142,003	6	50

Other Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	27,068	Farming	30,849
\$1,000 to \$2,499	11,454	Other	48,431
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9,539		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11,217	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7,476	Male	69,320
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2,012	Female	9,960
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3,393		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,319	Average age of principal operator (years)	58
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,001		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1,630	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	956	American Indian or Alaska Native	595
\$500,000 or more	1,215	Asian	151
		Black or African American	1,322
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,620,841	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	21
Average per farm (\$)	33,058	White	112,248
		More than one race	1,127
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	243,778		
Average per farm (\$)	3,075	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	733

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹ Universe is number of states in U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.