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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	959	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	114,965	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	82	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	120	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	959	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	369	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	644	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	57.8	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	863	76,150
Female (2007)	96	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	770	65,445

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	154	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	35	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	727	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$792	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$11,400	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$11,887	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$9,329	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$9,727	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	-\$531	\$15,077

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	1,712	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	277,881	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	60	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	162	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	1,712	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	606	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	985	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	57.7	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	1,479	76,150
Female (2007)	233	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	1,417	65,445

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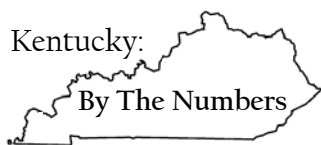
	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	257	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	38	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	1,317	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$6,474	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$179,752	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$104,995	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$245,210	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$143,230	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$45,428	\$15,077

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	1,513	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	216,492	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	90	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	143	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	1,513	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	572	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	972	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	57.3	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	1,374	76,150
Female (2007)	139	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	1,210	65,445

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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	274	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	29	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	782	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$1,285	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$36,305	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$23,996	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$41,192	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$27,225	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$5,811	\$15,077

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	1,064	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	145,493	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	84	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	137	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	1,064	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	443	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	701	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	55.9	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	985	76,150
Female (2007)	79	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	809	65,445

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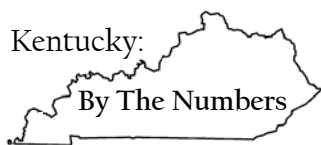
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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	215	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	40	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	978	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$1,014	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$21,945	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$20,625	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$31,076	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$29,207	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$11,354	\$15,077

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	698	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	91,853	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	86	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	132	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	698	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	249	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	455	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	55.9	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	617	76,150
Female (2007)	81	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	535	65,445

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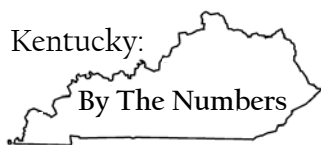
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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	144	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	19	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	443	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$277	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$7,010	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$10,043	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$4,184	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$5,994	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	-\$2,905	\$15,077

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	383	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	63,060	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	100	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	165	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	383	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	144	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	263	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	57.4	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	351	76,150
Female (2007)	32	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	298	65,445

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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	78	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	7	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	160	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$539	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$8,470	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$22,114	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$10,584	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$27,634	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$9,712	\$15,077

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	1,588	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	222,267	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	62	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	140	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	1,588	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	640	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	1,027	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	57.3	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	1,426	76,150
Female (2007)	162	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	1,219	65,445

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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	325	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	44	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	1,094	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$2,424	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$41,692	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$26,254	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$46,907	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$29,538	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$5,588	\$15,077

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	37	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	3,034	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	60	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	82	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	37	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	9	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	29	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	56.4	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	31	76,150
Female (2007)	6	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	33	65,445

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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	1	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	3	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	6	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$9	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$391	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$10,577	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$75	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$2,020	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	-\$8,213	\$15,077

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	1,083	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	161,777	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	91	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	149	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	1,083	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	480	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	764	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	55.5	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	947	76,150
Female (2007)	136	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	828	65,445

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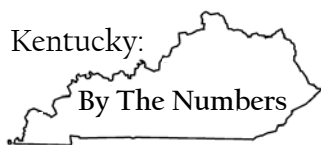
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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	204	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	51	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	1,109	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$2,353	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$21,960	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$20,277	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$24,021	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$22,180	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$4,828	\$15,077

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total Number of Farms (2007)	1,455	85,260
Land in Farms (in acres) (2007)	191,047	13,993,121
Median Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	83	80
Average Size of Farm (in acres) (2007)	131	164
<u>Farm Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators (2007)	1,455	85,260
Number of Principal Farm Operators for whom Principal Occupation is Farming (2007)	583	33,935
Number of Principle Operators Working any Days off Farm (2007)	990	56,104
Average Age of Principle Operator (2007)	54.0	56.5
Number of Principle Operators who are:		
Male (2007)	1,307	76,150
Female (2007)	148	9,110
<u>Tenure</u>		
Number of Farms -- Full Owners (2007)	1,145	65,445

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<u>Tenure</u> (continued)		
Number of Farms -- Part Owners (2007)	261	16,534
Number of Farms -- Tenants (2007)	49	3,281
<u>Farm Workers</u>		
Number of Hired Workers (2007)	1,197	74,496
Hired Worker Payroll (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$1,656	\$322,169
<u>Farm Production</u>		
<u>Expenses</u>		
Total Production Expenses (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$31,479	\$3,930,240
Total Farm Production Expenses (average per farm) (2007)	\$21,635	\$46,097
<u>Products Sold</u>		
Market Value of Products Sold (in 1,000s) (2007)	\$34,444	\$4,824,561
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (average per farm) (2007)	\$23,673	\$56,586
<u>Net Cash Income</u>		
Net Cash Farm Income of Operation (average per farm) (2007)	\$4,462	\$15,077

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