

# GENERAL Information

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## NUMBER OF FARMS, AVERAGE SIZE OF FARM, AND LAND IN FARMS, KENTUCKY, 1978-2007

| YEAR | NUMBER OF FARMS | AVERAGE SIZE FARM | LAND IN FARMS | YEAR | NUMBER OF FARMS | AVERAGE SIZE FARM | LAND IN FARMS |
|------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|
|      | 1,000           | ACRES             | 1,000 ACRES   |      | 1,000           | ACRES             | 1,000 ACRES   |
| 1978 | 104             | 142               | 14,800        | 1993 | 95              | 148               | 14,100        |
| 1979 | 103             | 143               | 14,700        | 1994 | 94              | 150               | 14,100        |
| 1980 | 102             | 143               | 14,600        | 1995 | 93              | 151               | 14,000        |
| 1981 | 103             | 142               | 14,600        | 1996 | 92              | 152               | 14,000        |
| 1982 | 103             | 141               | 14,500        | 1997 | 91              | 153               | 13,900        |
| 1983 | 103             | 141               | 14,500        | 1998 | 90              | 153               | 13,800        |
| 1984 | 101             | 144               | 14,500        | 1999 | 91              | 149               | 13,600        |
| 1985 | 100             | 145               | 14,500        | 2000 | 90              | 152               | 13,700        |
| 1986 | 99              | 146               | 14,500        | 2001 | 88              | 157               | 13,800        |
| 1987 | 99              | 145               | 14,400        | 2002 | 87              | 159               | 13,800        |
| 1988 | 97              | 147               | 14,300        | 2003 | 87              | 159               | 13,800        |
| 1989 | 95              | 149               | 14,200        | 2004 | 85              | 162               | 13,800        |
| 1990 | 93              | 152               | 14,100        | 2005 | 84              | 164               | 13,800        |
| 1991 | 91              | 155               | 14,100        | 2006 | 84              | 163               | 13,700        |
| 1992 | 91              | 155               | 14,100        | 2007 | 83              | 165               | 13,700        |

## NUMBER AND AVERAGE SIZE OF FARMS, BY SALES CLASS, KENTUCKY, 2002-2007

| YEAR | \$1,000-9,999 |                   | \$10,000-99,999 |                   | \$100,000+ |                   |
|------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|
|      | NUMBER        | AVG. SIZE (ACRES) | NUMBER          | AVG. SIZE (ACRES) | NUMBER     | AVG. SIZE (ACRES) |
| 2002 | 56,500        | 81                | 25,000          | 204               | 5,500      | 745               |
| 2003 | 56,500        | 81                | 25,000          | 204               | 5,500      | 745               |
| 2004 | 54,500        | 81                | 24,800          | 206               | 5,700      | 754               |
| 2005 | 53,000        | 79                | 25,000          | 200               | 6,000      | 767               |
| 2006 | 53,000        | 77                | 25,000          | 200               | 6,000      | 767               |
| 2007 | 51,000        | 76                | 25,000          | 200               | 7,000      | 686               |

## NUMBER OF LIVESTOCK FARMS, KENTUCKY, 2002-2007

| ITEM          | 2002   | 2003   | 2004   | 2005   | 2006   | 2007   |
|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| ALL CATTLE    | 47,000 | 46,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 |
| BEEF COWS     | 40,000 | 39,000 | 38,000 | 38,000 | 38,000 | 38,000 |
| MILK COWS     | 2,600  | 2,500  | 2,300  | 2,200  | 2,000  | 1,900  |
| HOGS          | 1,200  | 1,000  | 1,000  | 800    | 900    | 1,000  |
| SHEEP & LAMBS | NA     | 1,200  | 1,200  | 1,300  | 1,400  | 1,400  |
| ALL GOATS     | NA     | NA     | NA     | NA     | 3,900  | 4,100  |

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