

**TENNESSEE - DISTRICT 8****Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	<b>SMALLEST</b>	<b>LARGEST</b>	<b>MEDIAN OF COUNTIES</b>
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	80	1,010	571
Acreage	48,735	278,080	169,788
Average size (acres)	159	1,120	255
Median size (acres)	44	500	100
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	189,457	1,654,805	373,699
Machinery/equip (dollars)	23,224	226,948	57,873
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	23,794	249,104	118,196
Harvested	8,580	214,089	82,752
Irrigated	15	4,853	717
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value (\$1,000)</b>			
(dollars avg. per farm)	4,022	68,474	37,755
	10,079	292,546	54,097
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm (dollars average)</b>			
	-942	72,334	17,431
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	986	21,779	10,982
Beef cows	641	9,766	6,713
Milk cows	0	1,793	80
Hogs and pigs	0	44,572	1,854
Sheep and lambs	0	205	57
Layers 13 wks or/older	0	673	477
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	820,630	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	368	65,351	11,418
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	0	39,288	8,079
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	0	105,105	9,928
Tobacco	0	857	0
Soybeans	928	127,101	45,364
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	146	17,383	8,242

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<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
<b>Orchards</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0

#### Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture