

WEST VIRGINIA - DISTRICT 3**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN
Farms			
Number	5	727	210
Acreage	488	184,359	30,305
Average size (acres)	70	361	130
Median size (acres)	10	212	82
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	22,200	288,725	135,606
Machinery/equip (dollars)	11,170	33,818	21,127
Cropland (acres)			
Total	250	62,392	10,033
Harvested	0	26,124	3,675
Irrigated	0	134	10
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	6	40,278	1,793
(dollars avg. per farm)	1,211	55,403	7,547
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	-3,814	22,647	706
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	93	39,450	3,060
Beef cows	47	14,628	2,645
Milk cows	0	1,776	29
Hogs and pigs	0	561	67
Sheep and lambs	0	4,401	178
Layers 13 wks or/older	0	934	310
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	0	2,683	54
Corn, silage or green chop	0	2,433	132
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	0	1,153	0
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	0	278	0
Rice	N	N	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	0

Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	0	326	3
Soybeans	N	N	0
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	0	23,688	3,927

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
Orchards			
Number of farms	0	17	6
Acreage	0	108	21

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