



## Snapshot of Pulaski County's Local Food System

<b>Production</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>
Number of farms	1,713 (2.2% of KY farms)	77,064
Proportion of farmers farming less than 10 years	12.7%	17.6%
Proportion of principal farmers younger than 35	5.5%	5.8%
Proportion of farms with direct-to-consumer sales (total direct sales)	2.6% (\$641,000)	4.5% (\$16,438,000)
Proportion of farms growing fruits and vegetables	3.3%	2.2%
Change in farmland acres 2007-2012	-1.6%	-6.70%
Proportion of county land in farmland	54.2%	51.6%
<b>Retail Infrastructure</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>
Grocery stores/1,000 pop	0.28	0.19
Full service restaurants/1,000 pop	0.49	0.59
Farmers markets/1,000 pop (total markets)	0.03 (2 total markets)	0.03 (131 total markets)
<b>Consumption, Access, and Health</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>
Proportion of population with inadequate fruit and vegetable consumption	81.5%	81.2%
Rates of diabetes and obesity (adults 18+)	Diabetes (13.0%); Obesity (31.5%)	Diabetes (9.8%); Obesity (31.3%)
<b>Equity</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>
Proportion of population below poverty level	23.3%	18.8%
Proportion of households receiving SNAP	19.0%	18.2%
Proportion of workforce employed in foodservice (average annual salary from foodservice)	7.6% (\$13,473)	7.6% (\$13,957)
Proportion of workforce employed in farming (average annual salary from farming)	9.7% (\$1,783)	6.2% (\$8,293)

\*Suppressed - In some cases data are suppressed by agencies to protect individually identifiable information, or because of a lack of conclusive information. For more information on this county's agricultural statistics, visit its [2012 Census of Agriculture profile](#)

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