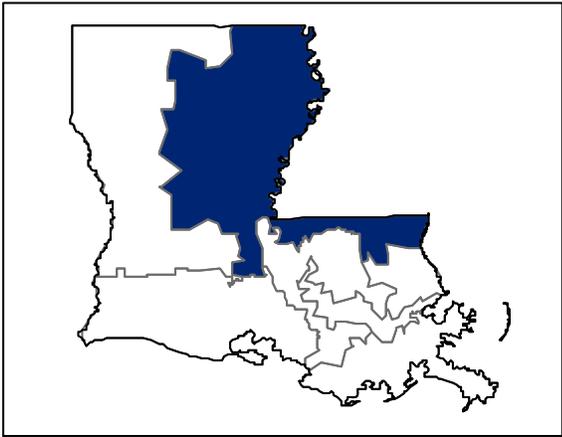


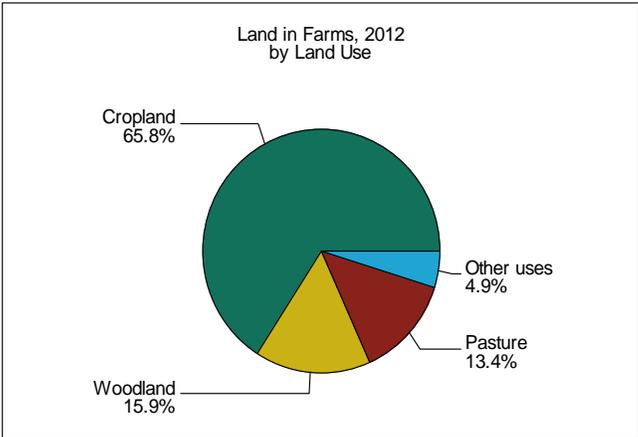
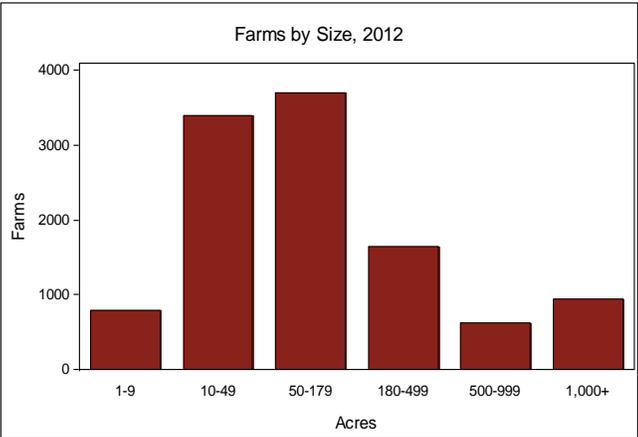
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



Louisiana 5th District

	2012
Number of Farm Operators	16,283
Number of Farms	11,106
Land in Farms	3,503,066 acres
Average Size of Farm	315 acres
Irrigated Land	730,933 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,891,903,000
Average Per Farm	\$170,350
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$72,711,000
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Government Payments	\$90,840,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$16,970



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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Louisiana 5th District

Ranked items among the 6 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,891,903	1	6	50	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,601,573	1	6	32	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	290,330	2	6	137	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,302,166	1	6	25	387
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	141,581	1	3	14	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	30,533	1	6	86	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	7,473	1	6	119	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	64,671	1	6	61	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	849	2	5	44	332
Other crops and hay	54,299	4	6	67	398
Poultry and eggs	(D)	2	6	69	405
Cattle and calves	78,623	2	6	112	393
Milk from cows	28,110	1	5	140	310
Hogs and pigs	140	3	6	250	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	409	2	6	223	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	3	6	(D)	402
Aquaculture	16,215	3	6	20	336
Other animals and other animal products	8,512	1	6	27	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	802,028	1	5	29	276
Corn for grain	464,758	1	5	41	356
Wheat for grain, all	217,847	1	4	25	324
Winter wheat for grain	217,847	1	4	24	317
Cotton, all	204,229	1	3	14	108
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	7,518,264	2	5	51	365
Layers	544,744	3	6	126	405
Cattle and calves	278,884	1	6	87	397
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	2	5	136	361
Quail	45,262	1	5	29	280

Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	4,463	Farming	4,615
\$1,000 to \$2,499	754	Other	6,491
\$2,500 to \$4,999	931	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,104	Male	9,670
\$10,000 to \$19,999	863	Female	1,436
\$20,000 to \$24,999	259	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	400	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	164	American Indian or Alaska Native	163
\$50,000 to \$99,999	453	Asian	43
\$100,000 to \$249,999	398	Black or African American	1,090
\$250,000 to \$499,999	312	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	13
\$500,000 or more	1,005	White	14,627
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,324,255	More than one race	91
Average per farm (\$)	119,238	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	298
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	731,199		
Average per farm (\$)	65,850		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.