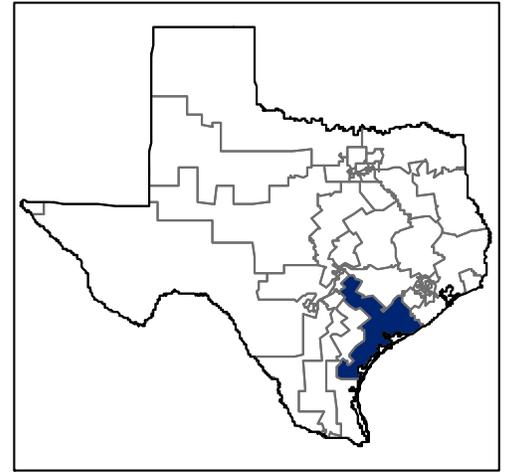


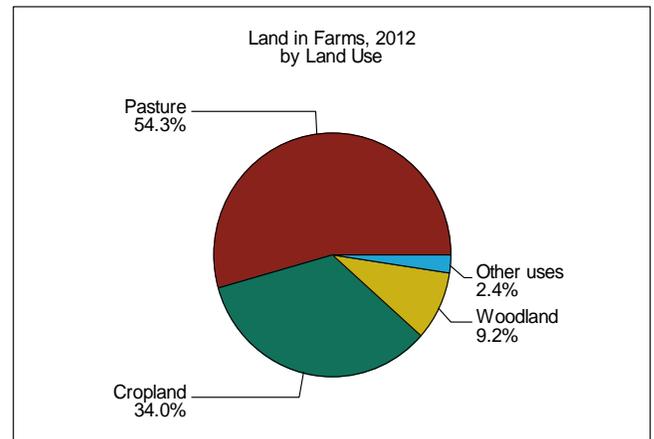
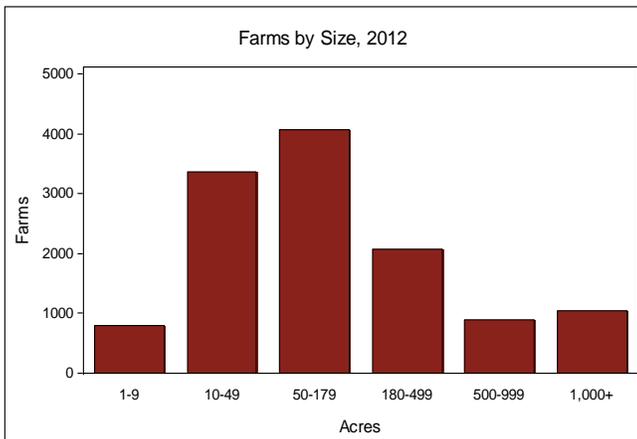
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



Texas 27th District

| | 2012 |
|---|-----------------|
| Number of Farm Operators | 18,544 |
| Number of Farms | 12,248 |
| Land in Farms | 4,802,357 acres |
| Average Size of Farm | 392 acres |
| Irrigated Land | 136,796 acres |
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| Market Value of Products Sold | \$1,227,580,000 |
| Average Per Farm | \$100,227 |
| Gross Income, Farm Related Sources | \$93,140,000 |
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| Government Payments | \$42,540,000 |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments | \$14,347 |



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Texas 27th District

Ranked items among the 36 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 | 1,227,580 | 4 | 36 | 84 | 430 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 662,843 | 3 | 36 | 78 | 429 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 564,737 | 7 | 36 | 87 | 423 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 332,069 | 3 | 34 | 66 | 387 |
| Tobacco | - | - | - | - | 100 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | 154,238 | 4 | 24 | 13 | 108 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 2,446 | 18 | 34 | 275 | 412 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 11,563 | 7 | 35 | 100 | 405 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 131,508 | 2 | 34 | 24 | 423 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | - | - | 20 | - | 332 |
| Other crops and hay | 31,019 | 13 | 36 | 108 | 398 |
| Poultry and eggs | 302,712 | 4 | 36 | 42 | 405 |
| Cattle and calves | 192,795 | 10 | 36 | 60 | 393 |
| Milk from cows | 2,829 | 13 | 21 | 251 | 310 |
| Hogs and pigs | 695 | 9 | 34 | 172 | 365 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk | 599 | 21 | 35 | 195 | 387 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 4,286 | 13 | 36 | 80 | 402 |
| Aquaculture | 59,744 | 1 | 24 | 4 | 336 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 1,077 | 23 | 36 | 176 | 413 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Sorghum for grain | 377,662 | 1 | 28 | 2 | 215 |
| Cotton, all | 265,013 | 4 | 24 | 11 | 108 |
| Upland cotton | 265,013 | 4 | 24 | 11 | 108 |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 220,281 | 10 | 36 | 77 | 401 |
| Corn for grain | 212,114 | 2 | 30 | 64 | 356 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Layers | 8,001,791 | 1 | 36 | 7 | 405 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 5,945,034 | 5 | 31 | 58 | 365 |
| Pullets for laying flock replacement | 1,937,549 | 1 | 31 | 12 | 361 |
| Cattle and calves | 450,414 | 7 | 36 | 51 | 397 |
| Roosters | 47,977 | 5 | 30 | 40 | 333 |

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 | 2,917 | Farming | 5,407 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 1,435 | Other | 6,841 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 1,569 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 1,791 | Male | 10,709 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 1,459 | Female | 1,539 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 389 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 59.9 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 666 | All operators by race ² : | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 266 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 105 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 570 | Asian | 66 |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 402 | Black or African American | 669 |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 293 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 12 |
| \$500,000 or more | 491 | White | 17,330 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 1,105,157 | More than one race | 86 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 90,232 | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ² | 1,735 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 258,104 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | 21,075 | | |

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

- Represents zero.

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.