

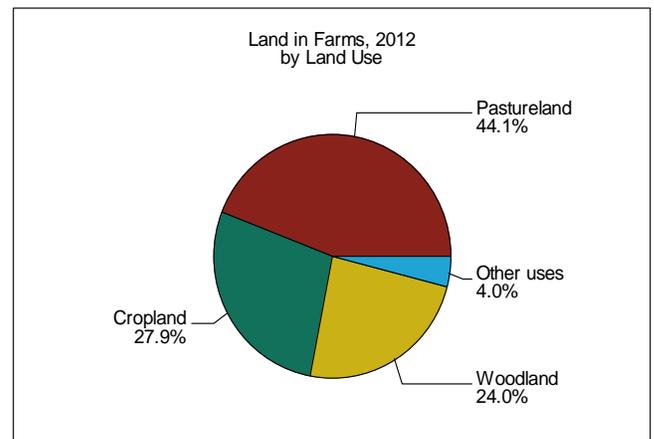
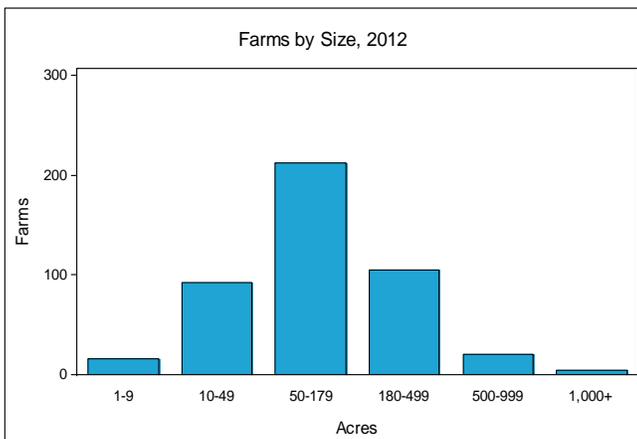
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Montgomery County Arkansas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	449	456	- 2
Land in Farms	74,437 acres	73,721 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	166 acres	162 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$42,148,000	\$48,249,000	- 13
Crop Sales \$886,000 (2 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$41,261,000 (98 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$93,870	\$105,809	- 11
Government Payments	\$464,000	\$62,000	+ 648
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,184	\$2,815	+ 120





Montgomery County – Arkansas

Ranked items among the 75 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 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	42,148	56	75	1,904	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	886	64	75	2,901	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	41,261	31	75	1,037	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	57	-	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	22	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	67	74	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	39	58	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	19	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	784	39	75	2,109	3,049
Poultry and eggs	33,213	29	73	325	3,013
Cattle and calves	5,122	39	75	1,802	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	25	27	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	2,724	6	65	691	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	7	62	71	2,767	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	50	73	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	19	34	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	68	70	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,125	29	75	1,072	3,057
Sod harvested	(D)	10	13	568	690
Apples	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	2,167
Pecans, all	(D)	(D)	57	(D)	1,263
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	2,801
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,279,460	31	65	273	2,723
Pullets for laying flock replacement	375,003	7	67	76	2,637
Layers	170,813	18	75	291	3,040
Roosters	20,434	18	63	107	2,120
Cattle and calves	15,596	39	75	1,560	3,063

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	104	Farming	225
\$1,000 to \$2,499	36	Other	224
\$2,500 to \$4,999	59	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	Male	406
\$10,000 to \$19,999	58	Female	43
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	34	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	Asian	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	29	White	674
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	35,750	More than one race	7
Average per farm (\$)	79,622	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,616		
Average per farm (\$)	16,962		

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 counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.