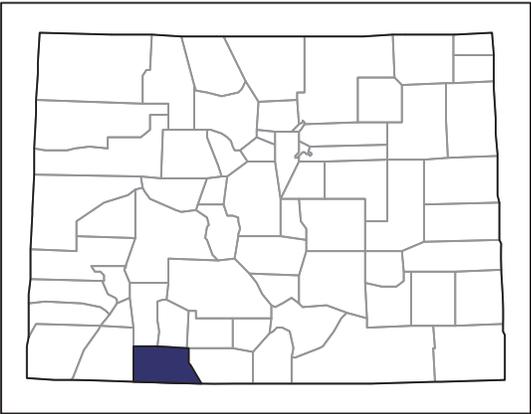


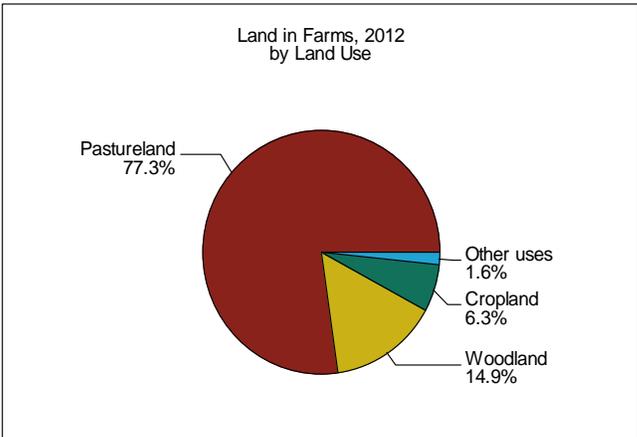
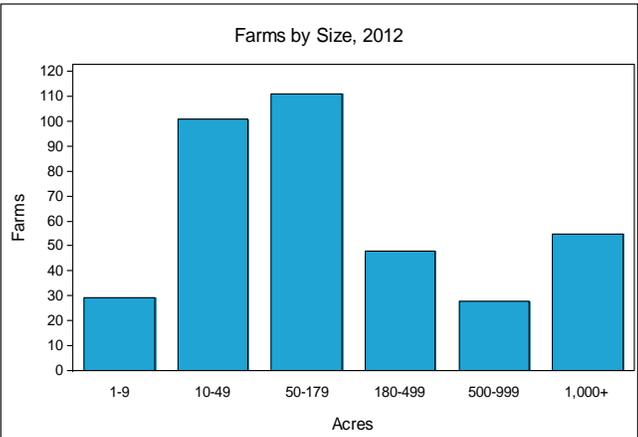
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Archuleta County Colorado

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	372	306	+ 22
Land in Farms	210,194 acres	149,584 acres	+ 41
Average Size of Farm	565 acres	489 acres	+ 16
Market Value of Products Sold	\$15,495,000	\$7,389,000	+ 110
Crop Sales \$1,289,000 (8 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$14,206,000 (92 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$41,653	\$24,146	+ 73
Government Payments	\$329,000	\$173,000	+ 90
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$19,359	\$6,411	+ 202





Archuleta County – Colorado

Ranked items among the 63 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	15,495	41	63	2,494	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,289	52	63	2,822	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	14,206	35	63	1,875	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	48	-	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	32	47	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	27	17	37	2,017	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	51	51	2,651	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,228	41	62	1,739	3,049
Poultry and eggs	9	33	58	2,437	3,013
Cattle and calves	13,290	31	62	1,108	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	26	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	18	31	53	1,858	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	260	20	58	650	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	614	18	62	443	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	15	44	56	2,052	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,907	38	62	1,743	3,057
Field and grass seed crops, all	(D)	6	9	(D)	583
Apples	(D)	12	33	(D)	2,167
Vegetables harvested, all	5	36	47	2,527	2,801
Tomatoes in the open	(D)	(D)	38	(D)	2,493
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	13,092	39	63	1,720	3,063
Horses and ponies	2,030	19	63	449	3,072
Sheep and lambs	836	27	59	1,040	2,897
Layers	642	34	59	2,197	3,040
Goats, all	363	33	59	1,601	2,996

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	122	Farming	201
\$1,000 to \$2,499	40	Other	171
\$2,500 to \$4,999	46	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	Male	297
\$10,000 to \$19,999	43	Female	75
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	9	White	595
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	12,509	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	33,625	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	130
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,815		
Average per farm (\$)	12,944		

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.