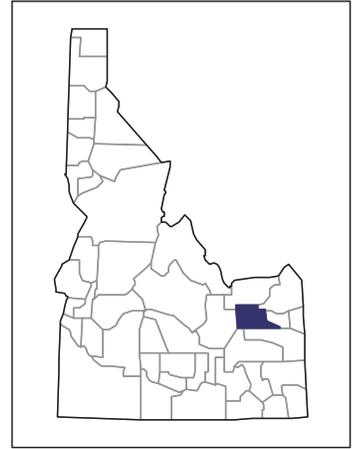


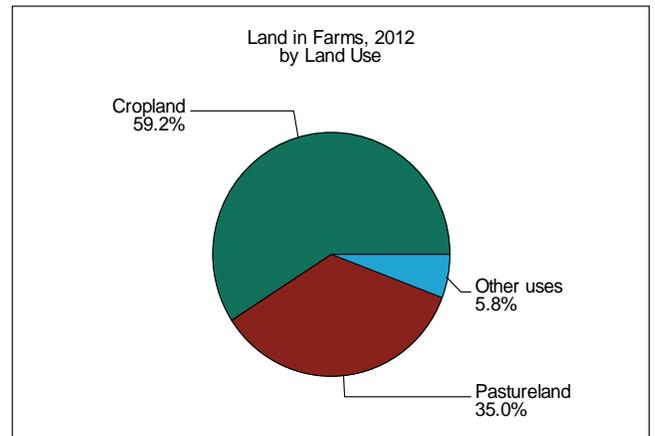
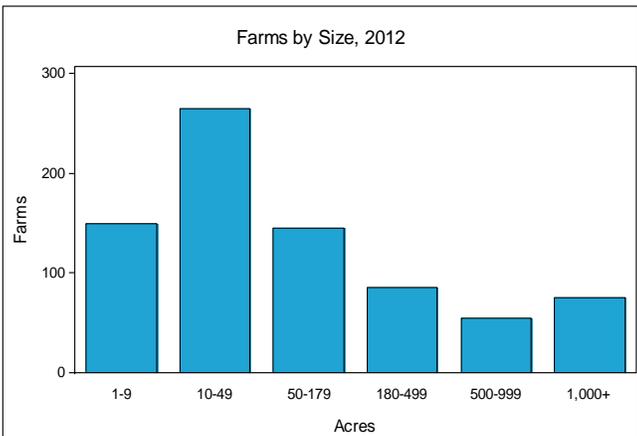
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE

### Jefferson County Idaho



	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	776	826	- 6
<b>Land in Farms</b>	322,776 acres	325,380 acres	- 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	416 acres	394 acres	+ 6
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$257,156,000	\$233,052,000	+ 10
Crop Sales \$148,544,000 (58 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$108,612,000 (42 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$331,387	\$282,146	+ 17
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,332,000	\$2,632,000	- 11
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$7,334	\$8,075	- 9





## Jefferson County – Idaho

### Ranked items among the 44 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	257,156	10	44	370	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	148,544	7	44	391	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	108,612	11	44	419	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	60,088	9	42	728	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	48,039	9	43	66	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	29	37	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	475	23	41	1,378	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	14	25	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	39,929	9	44	73	3,049
Poultry and eggs	28	15	43	1,882	3,013
Cattle and calves	55,376	10	44	246	3,056
Milk from cows	48,134	13	35	174	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	18	39	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	2	43	26	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	385	15	43	725	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	296	17	42	604	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	69,411	2	44	87	3,057
Barley for grain	44,961	5	41	14	1,158
Wheat for grain, all	39,846	12	42	305	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	37,353	4	41	90	633
Vegetables harvested, all	21,515	8	43	38	2,801
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	72,986	10	44	241	3,063
Sheep and lambs	22,517	2	41	42	2,897
Horses and ponies	2,054	10	44	444	3,072
Layers	1,532	15	43	1,518	3,040
Colonies of bees	511	22	36	551	2,761

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	160	Farming	341
\$1,000 to \$2,499	65	Other	435
\$2,500 to \$4,999	83		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	70	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	73	Male	729
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Female	47
\$25,000 to \$39,999	40		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	21	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	55		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	62	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	60	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$500,000 or more	75	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	214,402	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	276,291	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
		White	1,262
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	49,993	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	64,424	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	30

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.