

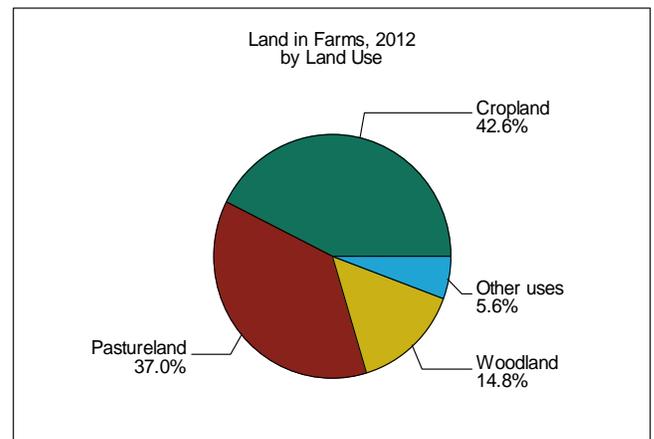
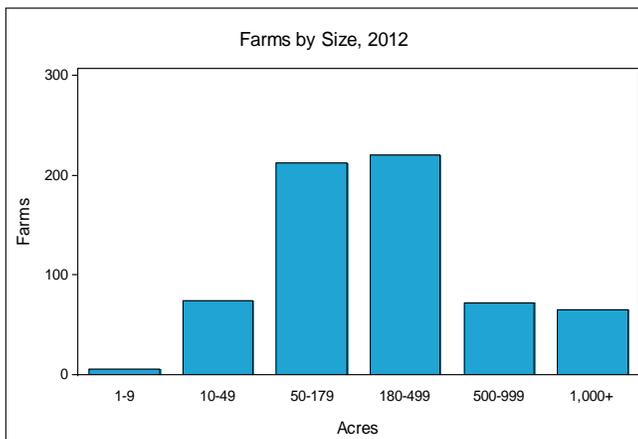
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Putnam County Missouri

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	649	663	- 2
<b>Land in Farms</b>	292,679 acres	272,655 acres	+ 7
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	451 acres	411 acres	+ 10
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$86,102,000	\$75,938,000	+ 13
Crop Sales \$16,606,000 (19 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$69,497,000 (81 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$132,669	\$114,537	+ 16
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$3,373,000	\$2,796,000	+ 21
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,738	\$7,988	+ 9





## Putnam County – Missouri

### Ranked items among the 114 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	86,102	37	114	1,303	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	16,606	66	114	1,817	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	69,497	16	114	700	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	14,059	66	114	1,374	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	109	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	106	107	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	99	107	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	55	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	2,530	30	113	1,127	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	98	113	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	32,580	11	114	481	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	96	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	36,711	7	109	162	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	168	32	110	933	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	27	104	114	2,555	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	46	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	114	114	2,911	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	41,875	27	114	330	3,057
Soybeans for beans	28,083	64	111	810	2,162
Corn for grain	13,898	62	108	1,094	2,638
Corn for silage	2,148	25	101	742	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	102	103	108	2,239	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	108	(D)	2,889
Cattle and calves	48,851	21	114	523	3,063
Sheep and lambs	1,282	25	109	703	2,897
Layers	609	99	113	2,235	3,040
Horses and ponies	496	91	114	2,054	3,072

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	196	Farming	296
\$1,000 to \$2,499	48	Other	353
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	63	Male	581
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Female	68
\$25,000 to \$39,999	51		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	21	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	48		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	61	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	25	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$500,000 or more	33	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	86,595	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	133,428	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	990
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,266	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	14,278	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	8

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.