

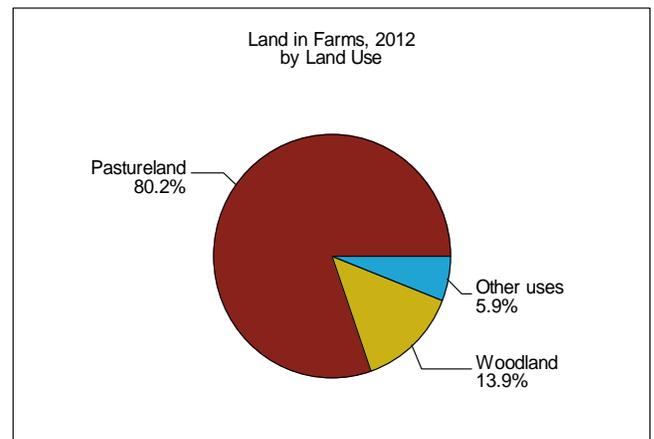
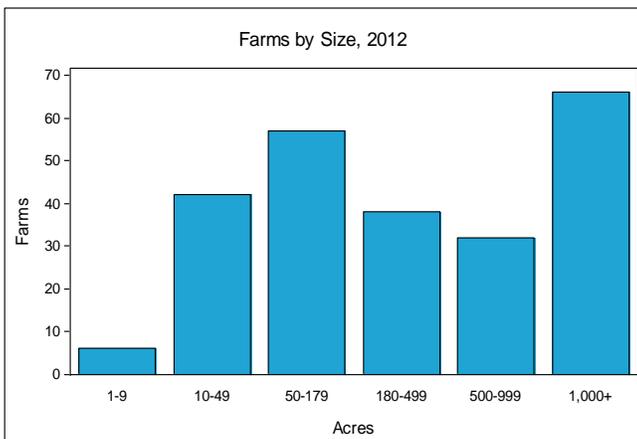
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Real County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	241	301	- 20
Land in Farms	320,572 acres	372,423 acres	- 14
Average Size of Farm	1,330 acres	1,237 acres	+ 8
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,649,000	\$2,754,000	- 40
Crop Sales \$201,000 (12 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,448,000 (88 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$6,842	\$9,149	- 25
Government Payments	\$270,000	\$110,000	+ 145
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,118	\$6,473	+ 10



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COUNTY PROFILE

Real County – Texas

Ranked items among the 254 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	1,649	251	254	2,988	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	201	247	253	3,028	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,448	251	254	2,824	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	28	213	238	2,779	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	165	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	199	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	127	146	215	1,293	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	165	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	46	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	46	248	252	2,971	3,049
Poultry and eggs	8	165	241	2,443	3,013
Cattle and calves	619	254	254	2,742	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	105	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	227	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	236	87	251	712	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	301	109	254	913	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	283	62	236	622	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	749	245	252	2,901	3,057
Sorghum for silage	(D)	75	109	(D)	1,076
Pecans, all	131	119	214	387	1,263
Oats for grain	(D)	87	104	(D)	1,825
Peaches, all	(D)	(D)	155	(D)	1,855
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Goats, all	4,217	53	250	80	2,996
Cattle and calves	2,425	252	254	2,681	3,063
Sheep and lambs	1,376	77	240	654	2,897
Deer	840	43	178	61	1,034
Horses and ponies	397	208	254	2,286	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	109	Farming	107
\$1,000 to \$2,499	41	Other	134
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	203
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12	Female	38
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	64.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	15	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	386
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,713	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	32,005	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	25
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-3,487		
Average per farm (\$)	-14,467		

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.