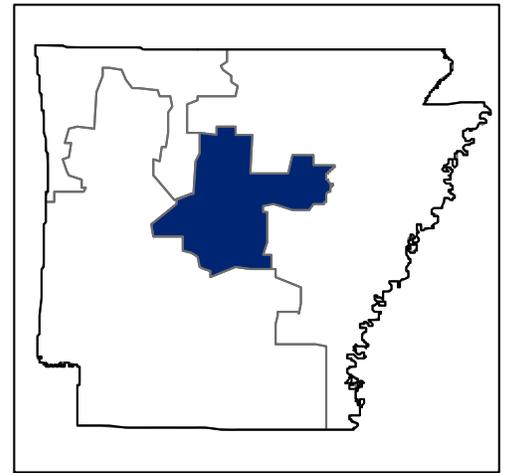


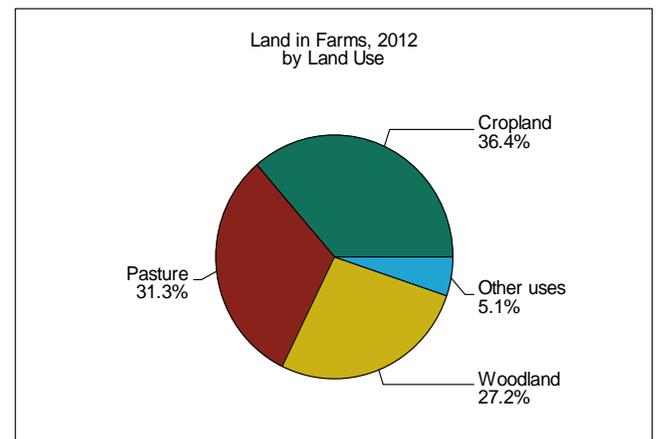
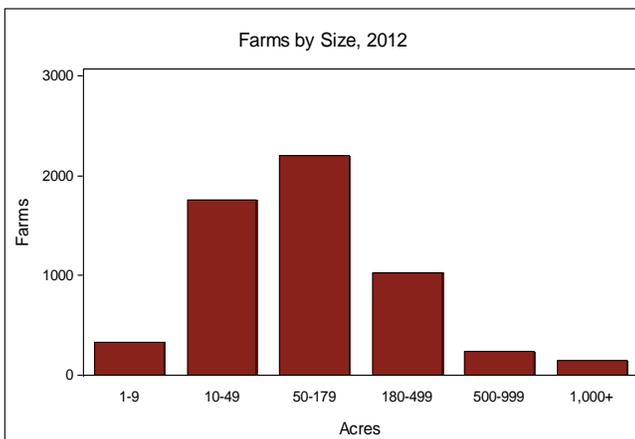
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



### Arkansas 2nd District

	2012
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	8,830
<b>Number of Farms</b>	5,715
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,031,106 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	180 acres
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	81,263 acres
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$377,217,000
Average Per Farm	\$66,005
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$11,414,000
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$10,237,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,418



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Ranked items among the 4 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	377,217	4	4	189	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	95,356	3	4	227	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	281,861	4	4	140	423
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	73,145	3	4	141	387
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	2	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	4	4	322	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3,324	2	4	192	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	8,349	3	4	307	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	1	4	(D)	332
Other crops and hay	9,447	4	4	195	398
Poultry and eggs	193,079	4	4	58	405
Cattle and calves	70,804	4	4	118	393
Milk from cows	5,991	2	4	221	310
Hogs and pigs	(D)	2	4	102	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	785	4	4	173	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,850	2	4	132	402
Aquaculture	(D)	4	4	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	170	4	4	300	413
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	172,762	4	4	88	401
Soybeans for beans	73,759	3	4	97	276
Rice	20,781	3	4	13	45
Wheat for grain, all	13,743	3	4	150	324
Winter wheat for grain	13,743	3	4	144	317
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	9,510,141	4	4	41	365
Layers	(D)	3	4	78	405
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	4	4	(D)	361
Cattle and calves	152,706	4	4	123	397
Turkeys	(D)	4	4	72	356

### Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	1,787	Farming	2,310
\$1,000 to \$2,499	583	Other	3,405
\$2,500 to \$4,999	663	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	782	Male	4,881
\$10,000 to \$19,999	750	Female	834
\$20,000 to \$24,999	190	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	323	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	85	American Indian or Alaska Native	107
\$50,000 to \$99,999	192	Asian	19
\$100,000 to \$249,999	107	Black or African American	158
\$250,000 to \$499,999	76	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	177	White	8,391
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	359,339	More than one race	47
Average per farm (\$)	62,876	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	86
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	39,529		
Average per farm (\$)	6,917		

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 congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.