

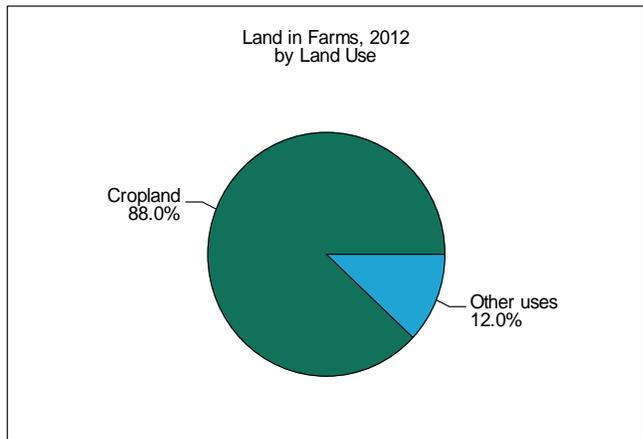
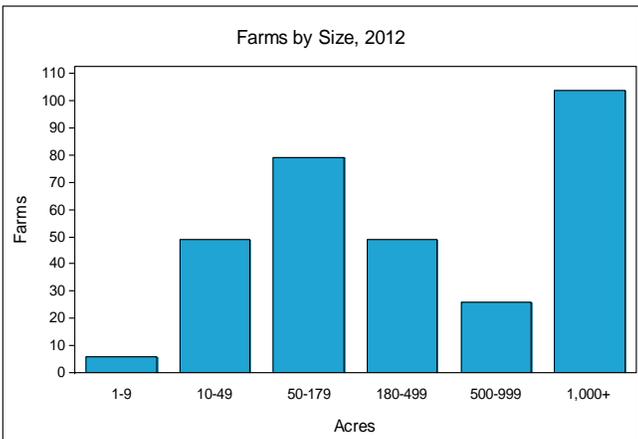
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE

Chicot County Arkansas



	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	313	382	- 18
Land in Farms	289,534 acres	285,517 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	925 acres	747 acres	+ 24
Market Value of Products Sold	\$204,719,000	\$129,107,000	+ 59
Crop Sales \$197,260,000 (96 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$7,459,000 (4 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$654,055	\$337,977	+ 94
Government Payments	\$7,640,000	\$9,232,000	- 17
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$29,159	\$31,945	- 9





Chicot County – Arkansas

Ranked items among the 75 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	204,719	16	75	522	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	197,260	9	75	221	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	7,459	56	75	2,280	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	183,164	10	57	166	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	13,752	10	22	134	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	56	74	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	88	24	73	1,492	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	25	58	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	19	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	68	71	75	2,947	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	69	73	2,882	3,013
Cattle and calves	2,220	49	75	2,260	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	27	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	65	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	4	67	71	2,867	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	69	73	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	5,228	4	34	62	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	134,791	9	48	92	2,162
Corn for grain	51,791	1	49	602	2,638
Rice	27,155	18	38	33	146
Wheat for grain, all	18,299	12	51	494	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	18,299	12	51	398	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	4,366	57	75	2,461	3,063
Horses and ponies	111	68	75	2,933	3,072
Goats, all	94	62	73	2,582	2,996
Sheep and lambs	76	45	67	2,490	2,897
Layers	58	72	75	2,967	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	100	Farming	180
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3	Other	133
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	Male	295
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17	Female	18
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	13	Black or African American	75
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	108	White	371
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	132,599	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	423,640	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	85,193		
Average per farm (\$)	272,182		

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.