

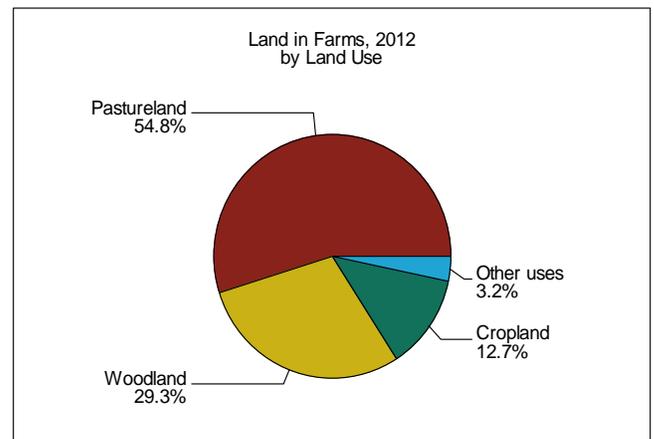
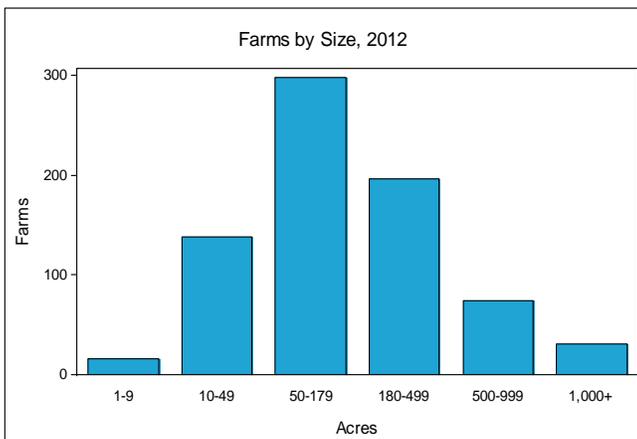
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Fulton County Arkansas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	753	702	+ 7
Land in Farms	204,424 acres	177,221 acres	+ 15
Average Size of Farm	271 acres	252 acres	+ 8
Market Value of Products Sold	\$27,725,000	\$25,770,000	+ 8
Crop Sales \$1,104,000 (4 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$26,621,000 (96 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$36,819	\$36,709	0
Government Payments	\$1,708,000	\$245,000	+ 597
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,352	\$2,265	+ 357





Fulton 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	27,725	63	75	2,194	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,104	59	75	2,864	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	26,621	39	75	1,393	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	57	57	2,911	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	22	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	74	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	54	36	58	2,199	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	19	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	985	31	75	1,947	3,049
Poultry and eggs	35	58	73	1,766	3,013
Cattle and calves	24,226	9	75	674	3,056
Milk from cows	837	11	27	1,324	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	23	65	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	197	4	71	810	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	191	24	73	1,288	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	11	34	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	10	40	70	2,239	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,459	27	75	1,055	3,057
Field and grass seed crops, all	99	4	5	270	583
Vegetables harvested, all	16	40	74	2,160	2,801
Corn for grain	(D)	47	49	(D)	2,638
Grapes	(D)	(D)	43	(D)	2,144
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	39,345	11	75	701	3,063
Goats, all	3,301	1	73	111	2,996
Layers	1,908	47	75	1,334	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,006	21	75	1,191	3,072
Sheep and lambs	735	6	67	1,131	2,897

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	157	Farming	357
\$1,000 to \$2,499	57	Other	396
\$2,500 to \$4,999	98	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	125	Male	664
\$10,000 to \$19,999	93	Female	89
\$20,000 to \$24,999	33	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	69	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	31	American Indian or Alaska Native	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	46	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	31	Black or African American	6
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	9	White	1,130
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	25,555	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	33,938	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	5
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,051		
Average per farm (\$)	6,708		

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.