

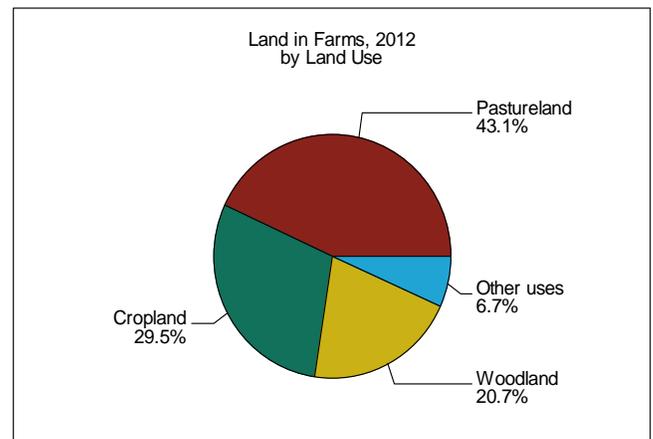
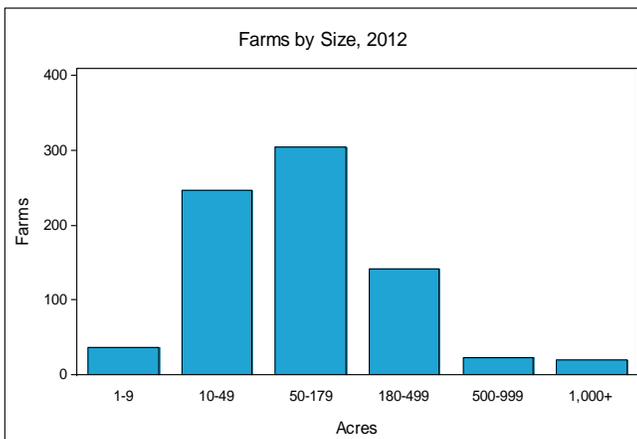
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Sebastian County Arkansas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	770	931	- 17
Land in Farms	118,855 acres	104,459 acres	+ 14
Average Size of Farm	154 acres	112 acres	+ 38
Market Value of Products Sold	\$97,410,000	\$67,369,000	+ 45
Crop Sales \$2,414,000 (2 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$94,996,000 (98 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$126,507	\$72,362	+ 75
Government Payments	\$374,000	\$80,000	+ 368
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,951	\$3,489	+ 128





Sebastian 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	97,410	42	75	1,190	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,414	47	75	2,661	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	94,996	21	75	504	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,165	39	57	2,191	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	22	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	49	40	74	2,173	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	60	29	73	1,675	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	19	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	45	75	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	78,293	20	73	159	3,013
Cattle and calves	16,217	18	75	946	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	27	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	1	57	65	2,659	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	100	13	71	1,348	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	373	8	73	747	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	34	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	12	36	70	2,150	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	28,604	16	75	646	3,057
Soybeans for beans	2,738	38	48	1,437	2,162
Wheat for grain, all	408	41	51	1,934	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	408	41	51	1,848	2,480
Corn for grain	(D)	43	49	(D)	2,638
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,197,528	17	65	113	2,723
Pullets for laying flock replacement	166,396	16	67	185	2,637
Layers	53,058	36	75	473	3,040
Cattle and calves	32,686	17	75	881	3,063
Roosters	10,244	30	63	184	2,120

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	215	Farming	334
\$1,000 to \$2,499	85	Other	436
\$2,500 to \$4,999	71	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	109	Male	680
\$10,000 to \$19,999	79	Female	90
\$20,000 to \$24,999	40	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	39	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	28
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35	Asian	31
\$100,000 to \$249,999	17	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	18	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	51	White	1,102
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	78,918	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	102,490	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	13
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	19,338		
Average per farm (\$)	25,115		

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.