

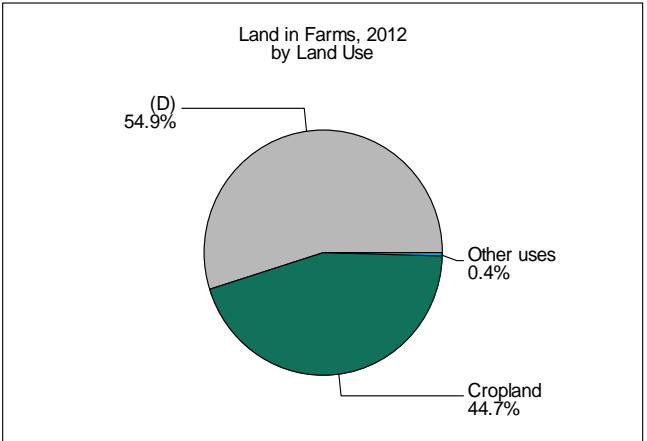
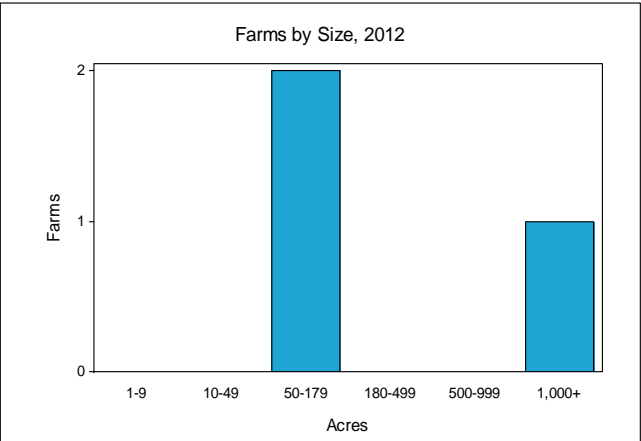
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Alpine County California

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	3	7	- 57
Land in Farms	(D)	1,810 acres	
Average Size of Farm	(D)	259 acres	
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$265,000	(D)	
Crop Sales (D)			
Livestock Sales (D)			
Average Per Farm	\$88,444	(D)	
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Government Payments	-	-	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	-	-	





Alpine County – California

Ranked items among the 58 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	265	57	58	3,052	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	57	58	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	57	58	(D)	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	48	-	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	11	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	55	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	55	56	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	56	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	41	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	54	58	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	57	57	3,004	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	57	57	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	40	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	55	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	-	-	56	-	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-	56	-	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	45	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	58	58	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	240	56	58	2,995	3,057
Apples	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,167
Peaches, all	(D)	(D)	49	(D)	1,855
Peaches, Clingstone	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	57
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	57	(D)	3,063
Horses and ponies	(D)	58	58	3,062	3,072
Layers	(D)	57	57	3,037	3,040
Colonies of bees	(D)	54	56	(D)	2,761

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	-	Farming	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	-	Other	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	Male	3
\$10,000 to \$19,999	-	Female	-
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	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	6
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	257	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	85,533	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	(D)		
Average per farm (\$)	(D)		

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.