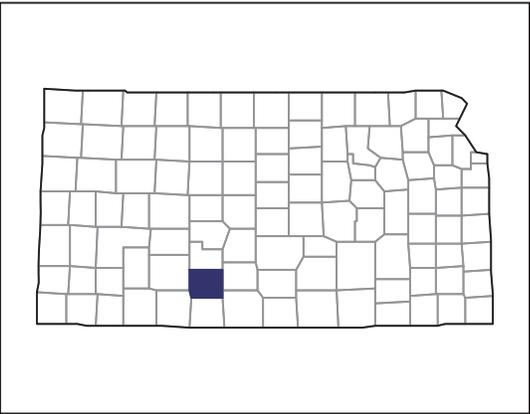


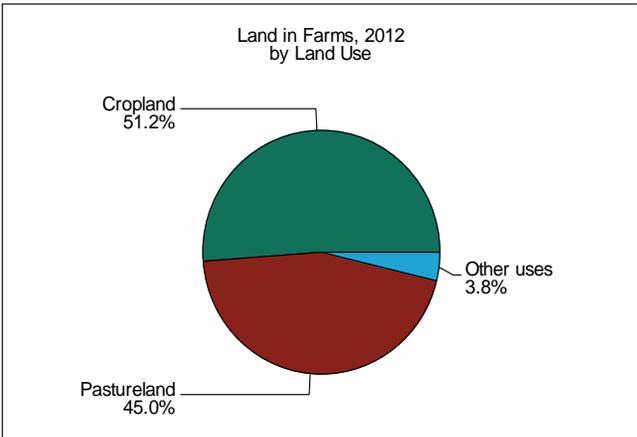
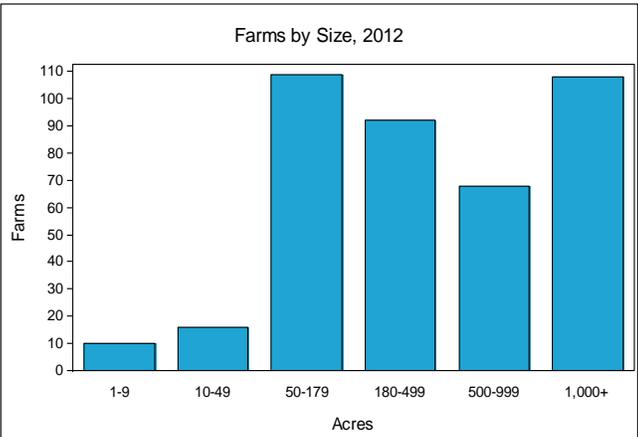
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Kiowa County Kansas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	403	399	+ 1
Land in Farms	455,235 acres	440,473 acres	+ 3
Average Size of Farm	1,130 acres	1,104 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$80,577,000	\$50,462,000	+ 60
Crop Sales \$63,956,000 (79 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$16,621,000 (21 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$199,943	\$126,471	+ 58
Government Payments	\$3,852,000	\$3,909,000	- 1
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,790	\$11,566	- 7





Kiowa County – Kansas

Ranked items among the 105 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	80,577	69	105	1,361	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	63,956	48	105	981	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,621	91	105	1,775	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	58,965	48	105	738	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	2,644	3	23	341	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	73	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	59	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	21	25	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	85	105	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	75	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	101	101	2,814	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	4	97	102	2,854	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	16	88	104	2,719	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	2	72	84	2,708	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	84,741	51	105	179	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	84,741	51	105	115	2,480
Corn for grain	23,458	66	105	900	2,638
Sorghum for grain	22,658	48	102	75	1,220
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	11,128	86	105	1,520	3,057
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	25,305	86	105	1,118	3,063
Pheasants	(D)	12	27	(D)	963
Horses and ponies	335	65	105	2,440	3,072
Layers	188	84	103	2,778	3,040
Goats, all	(D)	83	99	(D)	2,996

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	148	Farming	175
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5	Other	228
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	Male	346
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27	Female	57
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	26	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	24	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	37	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	36	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	36	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	35	White	628
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	69,963	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	173,606	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	19,857		
Average per farm (\$)	49,272		

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.