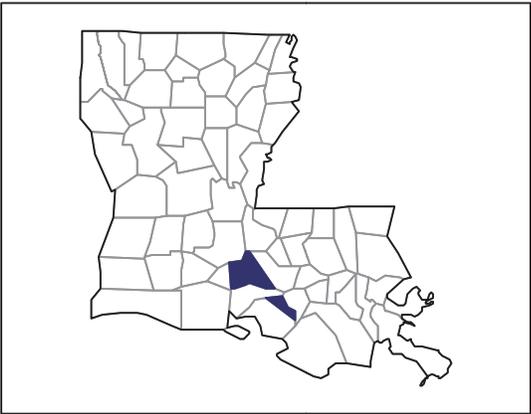


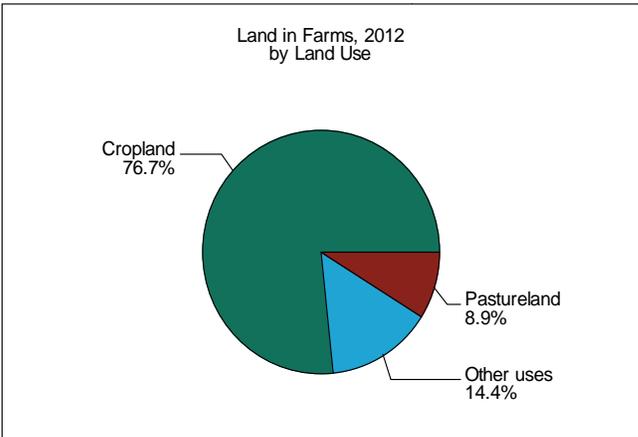
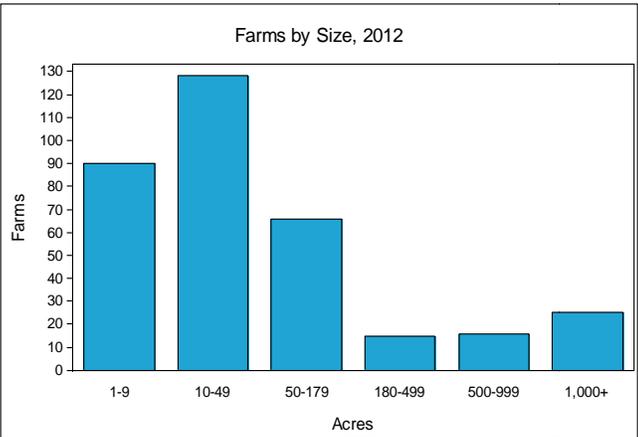
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## PARISH PROFILE



### St. Martin Parish Louisiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	340	355	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	75,909 acres	78,878 acres	- 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	223 acres	222 acres	0
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$52,785,000	\$31,276,000	+ 69
Crop Sales \$48,025,000 (91 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,761,000 (9 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$155,251	\$88,102	+ 76
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$506,000	\$1,084,000	- 53
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,435	\$17,768	- 53



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## PARISH PROFILE

### St. Martin Parish – Louisiana

#### Ranked items among the 64 state parishes and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	52,785	28	64	1,734	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	48,025	22	64	1,185	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,761	37	64	2,489	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	12,062	24	54	1,443	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	35	60	1,830	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	201	23	63	1,084	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	395	19	55	1,464	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	26	29	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	35,261	8	63	84	3,049
Poultry and eggs	28	31	61	1,878	3,013
Cattle and calves	626	54	64	2,739	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	18	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	7	27	51	2,216	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	38	13	57	2,097	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	976	3	61	260	3,011
Aquaculture	2,045	11	48	133	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	1,041	4	58	246	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Sugarcane for sugar	26,301	8	20	12	49
Soybeans for beans	13,669	18	50	1,036	2,162
Rice	3,995	15	30	76	146
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,339	50	63	2,650	3,057
Sugarcane for seed	1,982	7	20	8	44
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Colonies of bees	(D)	2	51	(D)	2,761
Cattle and calves	2,825	53	64	2,629	3,063
Layers	974	31	64	1,889	3,040
Horses and ponies	627	35	63	1,794	3,072
Sheep and lambs	360	10	47	1,691	2,897

#### Other Parish Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	73	Farming	151
\$1,000 to \$2,499	41	Other	189
\$2,500 to \$4,999	62	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38	Male	307
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29	Female	33
\$20,000 to \$24,999	24	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	49
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	32	White	434
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	40,384	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	118,777	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	5
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	14,222		
Average per farm (\$)	41,829		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.