

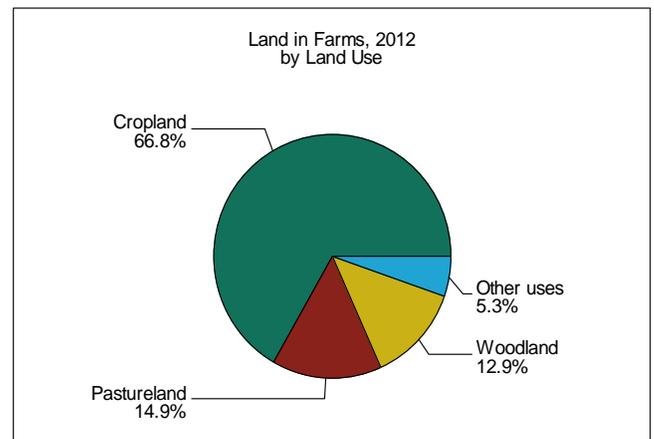
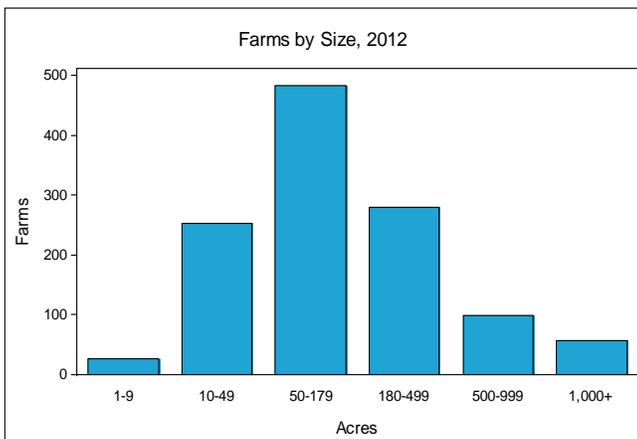
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Daviess County Missouri

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	1,199	1,169	+ 3
Land in Farms	314,925 acres	330,911 acres	- 5
Average Size of Farm	263 acres	283 acres	- 7
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$96,628,000	\$76,777,000	+ 26
Crop Sales \$38,660,000 (40 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$57,969,000 (60 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$80,591	\$65,678	+ 23
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Government Payments	\$8,392,000	\$5,850,000	+ 43
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,736	\$6,834	+ 42





Daviess County – Missouri

Ranked items among the 114 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	96,628	31	114	1,203	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	38,660	40	114	1,314	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	57,969	22	114	820	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	35,698	42	114	1,005	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	499	15	109	1,101	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	21	81	107	2,126	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	483	34	107	1,371	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	55	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,958	45	113	1,355	3,049
Poultry and eggs	61	49	113	1,553	3,013
Cattle and calves	9,015	85	114	1,393	3,056
Milk from cows	775	50	96	1,350	2,038
Hogs and pigs	47,631	5	109	119	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	79	70	110	1,548	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	360	16	114	770	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	46	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	46	34	114	1,468	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	82,120	24	111	348	2,162
Corn for grain	39,467	34	108	699	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	25,617	62	114	746	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	2,666	58	108	1,236	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	2,666	58	108	1,162	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	122,814	6	108	147	2,889
Cattle and calves	17,662	83	114	1,461	3,063
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,747	22	109	686	2,723
Layers	2,679	36	113	1,106	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,676	21	114	628	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	511	Farming	441
\$1,000 to \$2,499	64	Other	758
\$2,500 to \$4,999	89	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	103	Male	1,081
\$10,000 to \$19,999	92	Female	118
\$20,000 to \$24,999	29	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	74	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	102	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	59	Black or African American	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	27	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	27	White	1,759
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	93,133	More than one race	11
Average per farm (\$)	77,676	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	15
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	22,238		
Average per farm (\$)	18,548		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero.

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.