

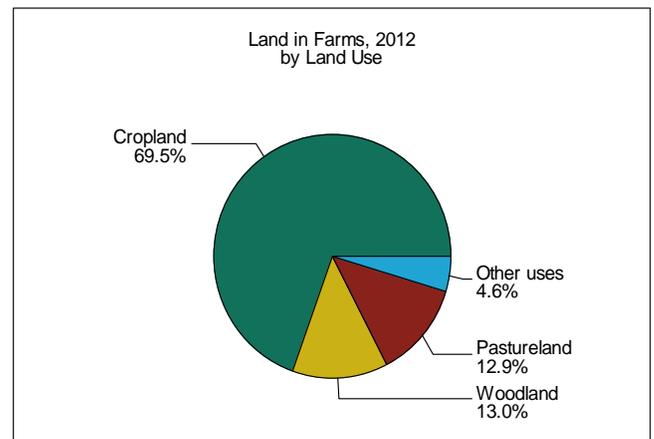
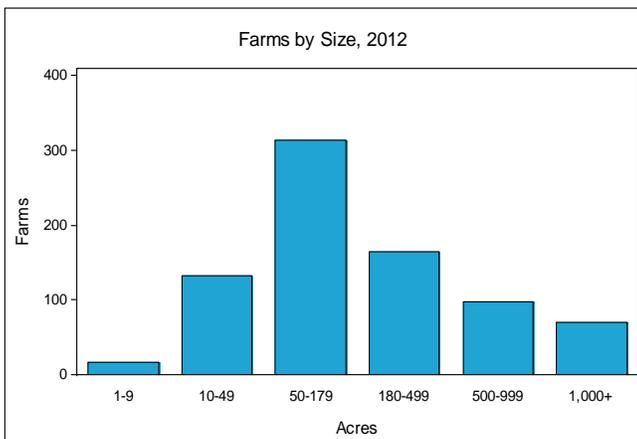
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Montgomery County Missouri

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	795	859	- 7
Land in Farms	279,165 acres	248,070 acres	+ 13
Average Size of Farm	351 acres	289 acres	+ 21
Market Value of Products Sold	\$64,030,000	\$52,156,000	+ 23
Crop Sales \$47,349,000 (74 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$16,680,000 (26 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$80,540	\$60,717	+ 33
Government Payments	\$4,635,000	\$2,949,000	+ 57
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,845	\$5,381	+ 64





Montgomery 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	64,030	59	114	1,581	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	47,349	34	114	1,198	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,680	76	114	1,769	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	45,142	32	114	896	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	100	109	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	52	62	107	1,753	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,209	19	107	990	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	36	55	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	934	92	113	1,988	3,049
Poultry and eggs	17	81	113	2,128	3,013
Cattle and calves	13,780	64	114	1,084	3,056
Milk from cows	154	79	96	1,778	2,038
Hogs and pigs	2,517	44	109	707	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	128	46	110	1,161	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	82	75	114	1,980	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	46	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	2	99	114	2,657	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	82,230	23	111	345	2,162
Corn for grain	65,717	18	108	490	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,546	82	114	1,048	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	15,333	16	108	549	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	15,333	16	108	460	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	24,400	66	114	1,162	3,063
Hogs and pigs	8,904	40	108	660	2,889
Layers	1,394	60	113	1,595	3,040
Sheep and lambs	1,393	19	109	647	2,897
Horses and ponies	517	90	114	2,005	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	201	Farming	393
\$1,000 to \$2,499	70	Other	402
\$2,500 to \$4,999	53	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	66	Male	717
\$10,000 to \$19,999	97	Female	78
\$20,000 to \$24,999	23	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	54	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	16	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	52	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	88	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	52	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	23	White	1,155
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	75,922	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	95,500	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,265		
Average per farm (\$)	10,396		

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.