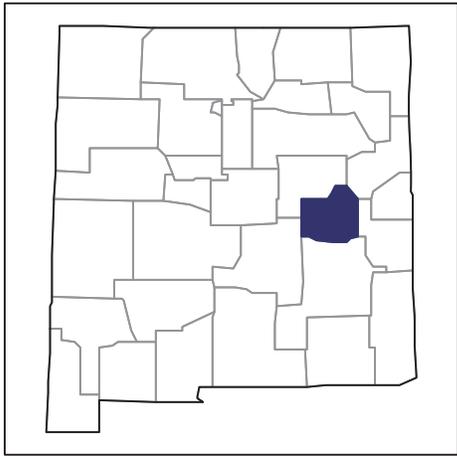


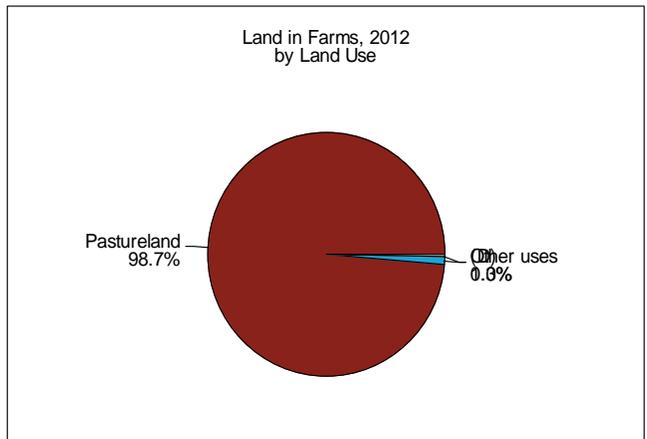
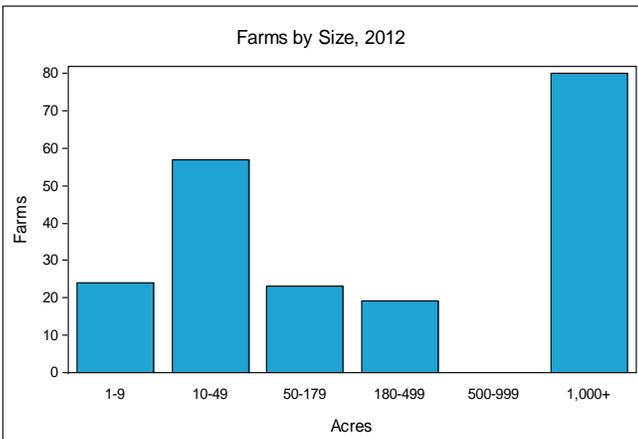
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE

### De Baca County New Mexico



	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	203	173	+ 17
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,068,067 acres	1,070,531 acres	0
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	5,261 acres	6,188 acres	- 15
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$23,967,000	\$19,901,000	+ 20
Crop Sales \$8,846,000 (37 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$15,121,000 (63 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$118,064	\$115,033	+ 3
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,868,000	\$683,000	+ 173
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,695	\$10,355	+ 52





## De Baca County – New Mexico

### Ranked items among the 33 state counties 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	23,967	17	33	2,267	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,846	16	33	2,158	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	15,121	18	33	1,847	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	14	28	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	9	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	28	29	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	31	24	30	1,972	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	7	30	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	2	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	6,478	14	33	469	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	15,009	14	32	1,015	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	19	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	28	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	45	22	32	1,987	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	63	30	32	2,142	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	12	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	27	31	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,561	16	33	2,012	3,057
Corn for silage	935	14	17	1,156	2,237
Nursery stock crops	(D)	3	21	(D)	2,077
Sorghum for grain	24	9	13	1,058	1,220
Pecans, all	21	13	23	685	1,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	16,292	26	32	1,518	3,063
Sheep and lambs	616	18	32	1,262	2,897
Horses and ponies	404	30	33	2,269	3,072
Layers	122	32	32	2,870	3,040
Goats, all	(D)	30	32	(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	40	Farming	122
\$1,000 to \$2,499	10	Other	81
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	Male	181
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Female	22
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	24	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	12	White	298
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	22,869	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	112,653	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	79
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,383		
Average per farm (\$)	26,516		

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.