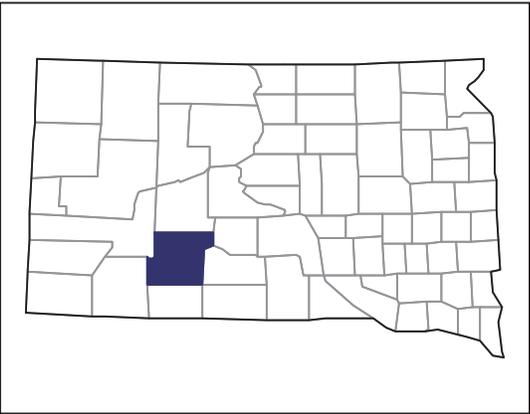


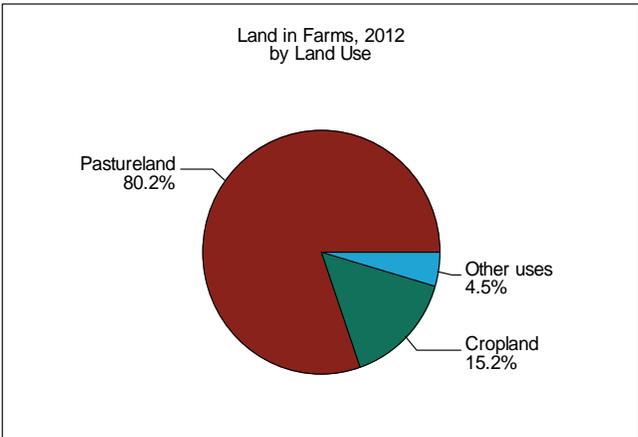
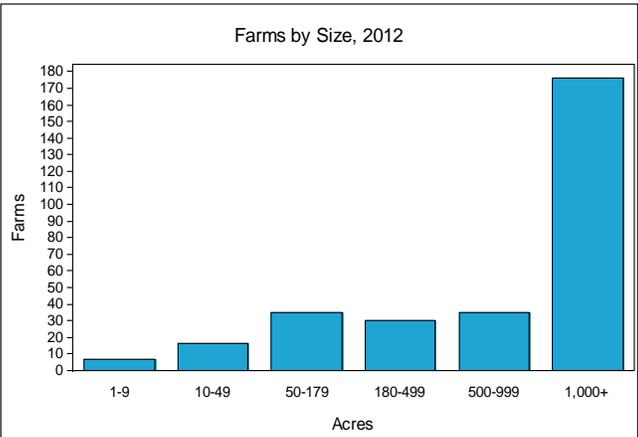
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Jackson County South Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	299	297	+ 1
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,157,939 acres	1,184,156 acres	- 2
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	3,873 acres	3,987 acres	- 3
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$51,912,000	\$36,882,000	+ 41
Crop Sales \$17,969,000 (35 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$33,943,000 (65 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$173,619	\$124,182	+ 40
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,083,000	\$2,881,000	- 28
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,971	\$14,849	- 19





## Jackson County – South Dakota

### Ranked items among the 66 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	51,912	60	66	1,742	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	17,969	58	66	1,772	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	33,943	51	66	1,197	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	14,103	58	66	1,373	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	41	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	31	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	37	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	7	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,866	25	66	764	3,049
Poultry and eggs	5	54	65	2,602	3,013
Cattle and calves	32,925	45	66	475	3,056
Milk from cows	49	45	46	1,921	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	59	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	136	51	64	1,108	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	504	16	66	555	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	10	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	324	38	61	558	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	48,248	17	66	267	2,537
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	46,681	21	66	255	3,057
Winter wheat for grain	39,397	12	65	219	2,480
Spring wheat for grain	8,851	26	63	162	633
Sunflower seed, all	7,610	24	48	61	565
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	50,501	40	66	497	3,063
Horses and ponies	2,424	4	66	341	3,072
Colonies of bees	(D)	25	46	(D)	2,761
Sheep and lambs	606	51	65	1,274	2,897
Layers	416	44	65	2,473	3,040

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	48	Farming	211
\$1,000 to \$2,499	14	Other	88
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	Male	281
\$10,000 to \$19,999	11	Female	18
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	94
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	54	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	43	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	28	White	348
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	39,355	More than one race	14
Average per farm (\$)	131,623	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	10
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	19,076		
Average per farm (\$)	63,801		

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.