

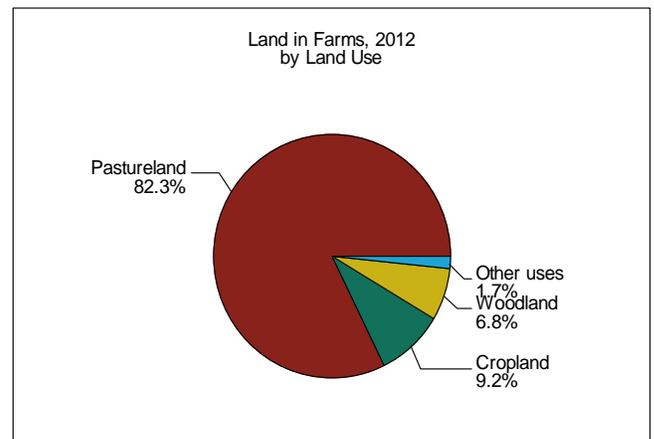
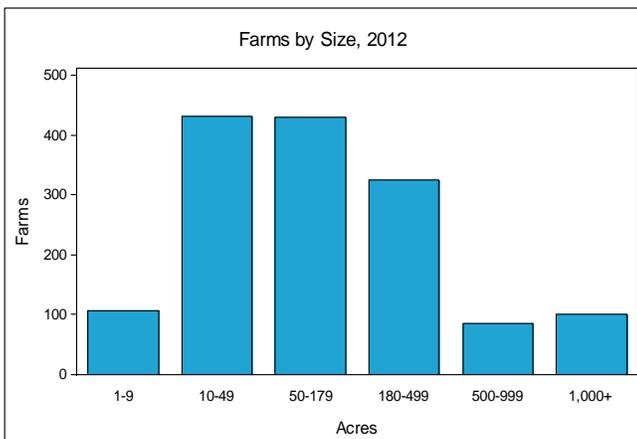
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Burnet County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	1,481	1,531	- 3
Land in Farms	485,277 acres	482,149 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	328 acres	315 acres	+ 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$14,714,000	\$12,294,000	+ 20
Crop Sales \$3,729,000 (25 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,985,000 (75 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$9,935	\$8,030	+ 24
Government Payments	\$588,000	\$111,000	+ 430
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,004	\$2,026	+ 196





Burnet County – Texas

Ranked items among the 254 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	14,714	201	254	2,516	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,729	194	253	2,523	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,985	169	254	2,037	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5	223	238	2,867	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	165	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	648	59	199	1,003	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	777	70	215	555	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	410	91	165	1,446	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	46	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,889	138	252	1,387	3,049
Poultry and eggs	580	56	241	1,074	3,013
Cattle and calves	8,751	166	254	1,409	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	105	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	36	78	227	1,565	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	1,141	23	251	145	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	369	93	254	756	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	107	103	236	1,055	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,707	141	252	1,652	3,057
Pecans, all	369	82	214	238	1,263
Grapes	91	13	151	181	2,144
Vegetables harvested, all	90	78	199	1,317	2,801
Pears, all	(D)	4	114	(D)	1,711
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	34	201	(D)	2,723
Cattle and calves	22,100	147	254	1,259	3,063
Goats, all	15,208	14	250	18	2,996
Sheep and lambs	5,669	25	240	162	2,897
Layers	3,999	68	249	893	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	571	Farming	527
\$1,000 to \$2,499	252	Other	954
\$2,500 to \$4,999	201	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	169	Male	1,204
\$10,000 to \$19,999	137	Female	277
\$20,000 to \$24,999	36	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	47	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	29
\$50,000 to \$99,999	34	Asian	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	19	Black or African American	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
\$500,000 or more	2	White	2,288
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	28,216	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	19,052	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	87
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-10,091		
Average per farm (\$)	-6,814		

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.