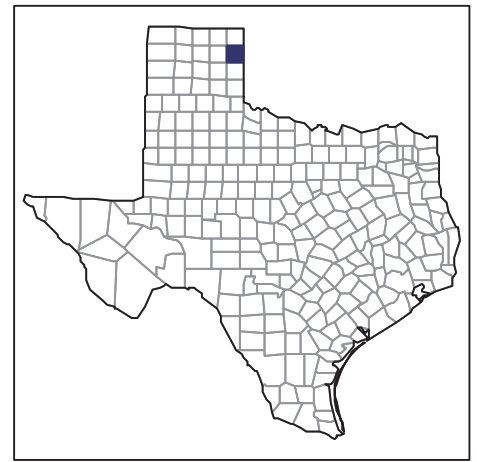


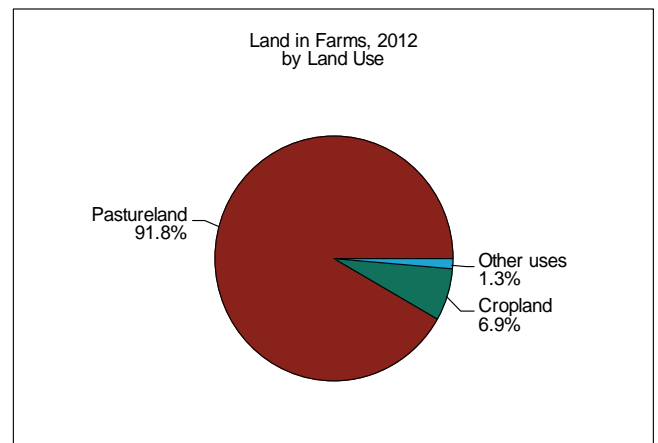
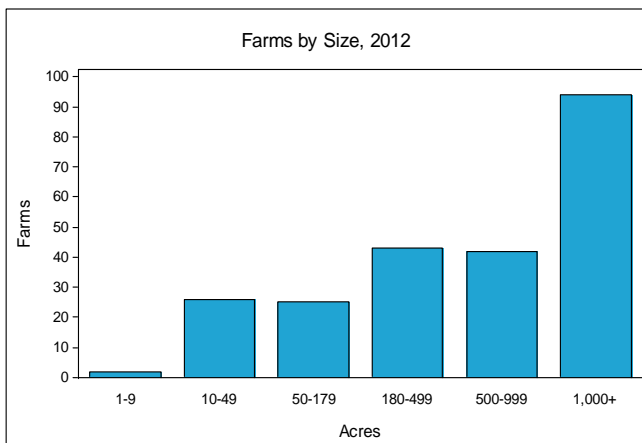
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Hemphill County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	232	233	0
Land in Farms	575,829 acres	548,746 acres	+ 5
Average Size of Farm	2,482 acres	2,355 acres	+ 5
Market Value of Products Sold	\$110,552,000	\$117,703,000	- 6
Crop Sales \$3,017,000 (3 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$107,535,000 (97 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$476,518	\$505,163	- 6
Government Payments	\$1,293,000	\$1,156,000	+ 12
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,047	\$10,325	+ 7





Hemphill 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	110,552	47	254	1,070	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,017	200	253	2,596	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	107,535	27	254	422	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	238	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	165	(D)	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	199	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	215	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	165	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	46	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	252	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	232	241	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	107,292	18	254	118	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	105	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	227	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	26	198	251	2,302	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	202	139	254	1,241	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	183	236	2,095	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	10,742	134	252	1,562	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	6,461	84	201	873	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	6,461	84	201	789	2,480
Cotton, all	(D)	141	165	(D)	635
Upland cotton	(D)	141	165	(D)	635
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	64,949	40	254	315	3,063
Horses and ponies	2,463	53	254	324	3,072
Goats, all	257	205	250	1,951	2,996
Deer	(D)	155	178	(D)	1,034
Pigeons or squab	(D)	(D)	80	(D)	842

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	95	Farming	129
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5	Other	103
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17	Male	206
\$10,000 to \$19,999	11	Female	26
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	20	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	13	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	13	White	330
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	97,723	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	421,220	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	14,955		
Average per farm (\$)	64,462		

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.