

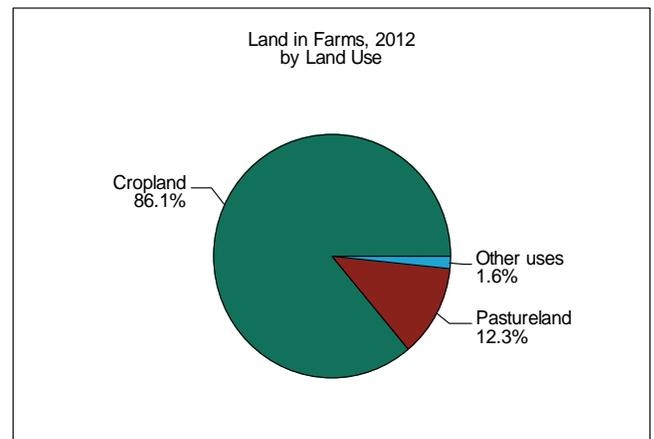
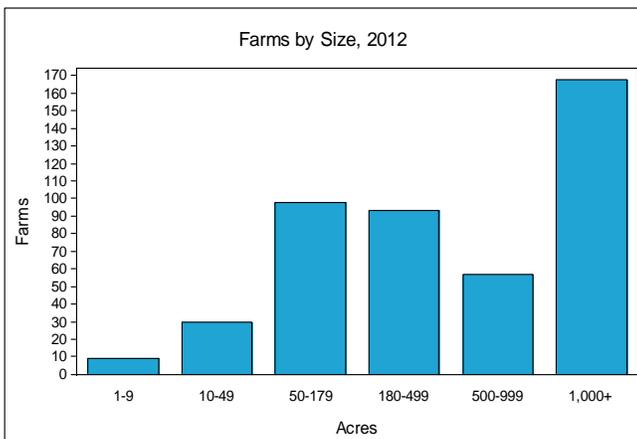
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Lynn County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	455	506	- 10
Land in Farms	472,170 acres	493,691 acres	- 4
Average Size of Farm	1,038 acres	976 acres	+ 6
Market Value of Products Sold	\$67,595,000	\$98,866,000	- 32
Crop Sales \$65,765,000 (97 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,831,000 (3 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$148,561	\$195,388	- 24
Government Payments	\$9,808,000	\$17,028,000	- 42
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$23,923	\$39,145	- 39





Lynn 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	67,595	91	254	1,518	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	65,765	37	253	956	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,831	248	254	2,779	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,710	121	238	1,957	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	61,666	6	165	16	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	199	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	215	(D)	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	1	209	241	2,900	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,485	248	254	2,472	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	105	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	227	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	251	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	248	123	254	1,062	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	220	236	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	213,912	1	165	1	635
Upland cotton	213,912	1	165	1	635
Sorghum for grain	11,616	46	177	127	1,220
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,319	185	252	2,173	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	3,741	105	201	1,098	2,537
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	3,418	248	254	2,560	3,063
Sheep and lambs	485	119	240	1,460	2,897
Horses and ponies	461	195	254	2,131	3,072
Goats, all	327	195	250	1,721	2,996
Layers	322	178	249	2,597	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	177	Farming	275
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	180
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	Male	372
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19	Female	83
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	22	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	66	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	39	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	42	White	606
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	84,312	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	185,301	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	22
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	18,912		
Average per farm (\$)	41,564		

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.