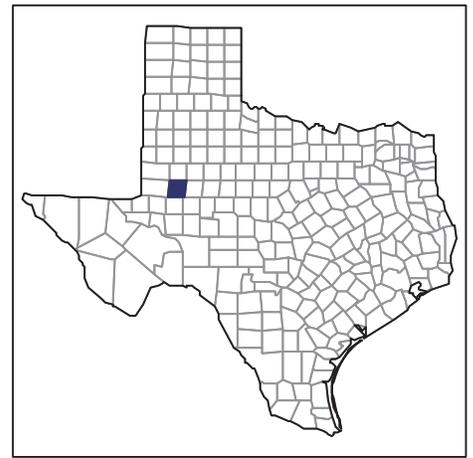


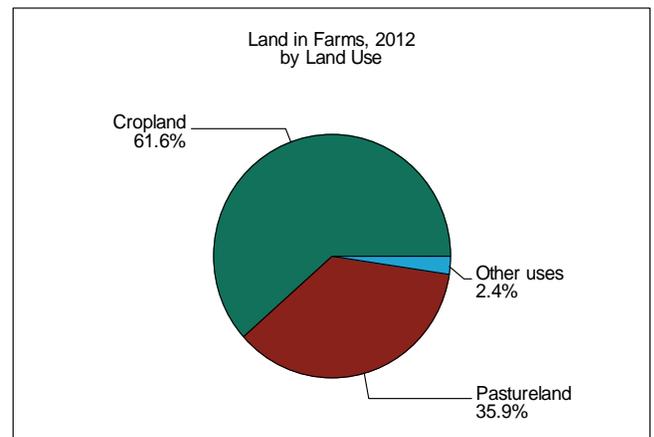
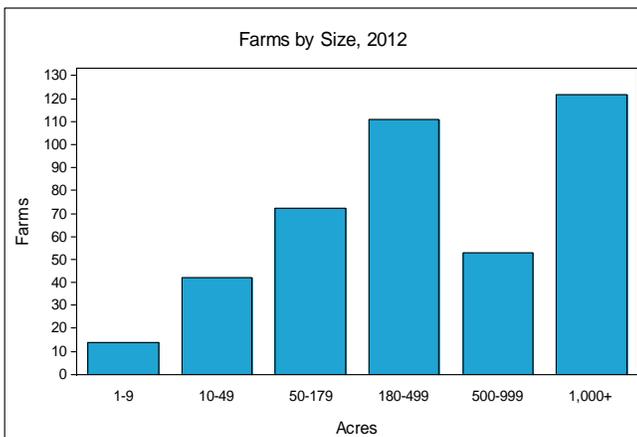
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Martin County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	414	464	- 11
Land in Farms	453,712 acres	457,990 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	1,096 acres	987 acres	+ 11
Market Value of Products Sold	\$20,265,000	\$52,900,000	- 62
Crop Sales \$18,002,000 (89 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,263,000 (11 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$48,950	\$114,009	- 57
Government Payments	\$5,158,000	\$10,662,000	- 52
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,397	\$27,912	- 45





Martin 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	20,265	182	254	2,375	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	18,002	102	253	1,770	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,263	243	254	2,732	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	166	238	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	16,214	28	165	113	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	194	199	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	215	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	165	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	46	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,288	161	252	1,703	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	237	241	2,994	3,013
Cattle and calves	2,206	239	254	2,268	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	105	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	227	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	212	251	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	40	233	254	2,402	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	236	-	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	43,987	27	165	50	635
Upland cotton	43,987	27	165	46	635
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,211	196	252	2,318	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	1,077	142	201	1,622	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	1,077	142	201	1,558	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	4,168	244	254	2,484	3,063
Goats, all	461	186	250	1,326	2,996
Horses and ponies	103	253	254	2,948	3,072
Layers	50	236	249	2,977	3,040
Mules, burros, and donkeys	18	221	253	2,383	2,991

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	282	Farming	236
\$1,000 to \$2,499	18	Other	178
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	Male	329
\$10,000 to \$19,999	14	Female	85
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	14	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	27	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	24	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	6	White	540
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	44,062	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	106,430	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	39
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-61		
Average per farm (\$)	-147		

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.