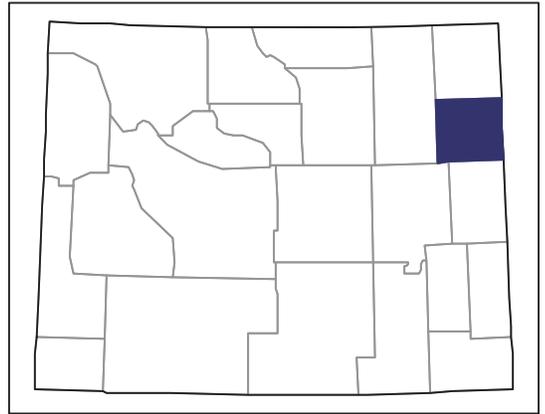


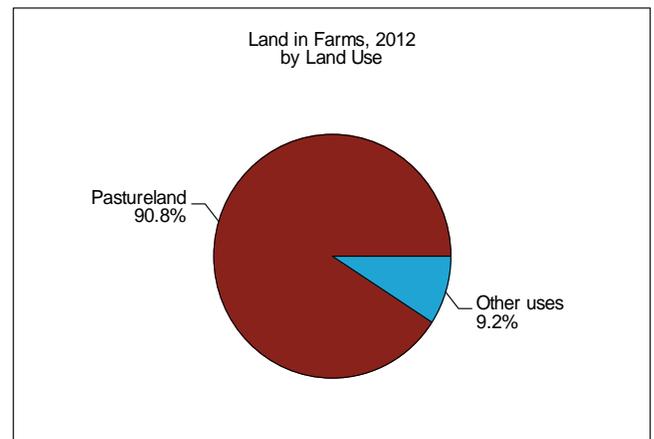
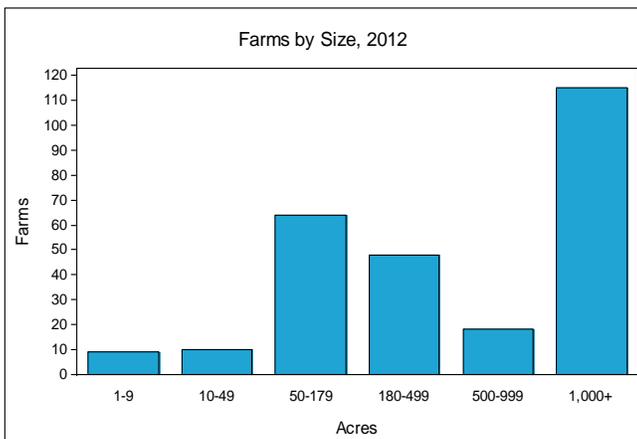
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Weston County Wyoming

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	264	237	+ 11
Land in Farms	1,290,373 acres	1,328,294 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	4,888 acres	5,605 acres	- 13
Market Value of Products Sold	\$52,228,000	\$26,501,000	+ 97
Crop Sales \$2,230,000 (4 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$49,998,000 (96 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$197,832	\$111,818	+ 77
Government Payments	\$757,000	\$1,058,000	- 28
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,507	\$13,387	- 22





Weston County – Wyoming

Ranked items among the 23 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	52,228	13	23	1,739	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,230	21	23	2,690	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	49,998	9	23	905	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	19	22	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	17	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	15	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	19	19	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	-	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	21	23	1,352	3,049
Poultry and eggs	6	16	23	2,570	3,013
Cattle and calves	49,350	8	23	277	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	6	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	13	22	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	252	21	23	676	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	375	17	23	743	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	11	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	22	23	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,921	19	23	1,027	3,057
Oats for grain	800	3	17	356	1,825
Wheat for grain, all	735	10	15	1,761	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	600	5	14	322	633
Corn for silage	(D)	14	15	(D)	2,237
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	50,139	14	23	499	3,063
Sheep and lambs	2,124	20	23	430	2,897
Horses and ponies	1,970	16	23	469	3,072
Layers	542	16	23	2,331	3,040
Mules, burros, and donkeys	79	12	23	1,132	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	92	Farming	135
\$1,000 to \$2,499	24	Other	129
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	Male	239
\$10,000 to \$19,999	8	Female	25
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	24	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	18	White	451
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	46,331	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	175,495	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,960		
Average per farm (\$)	30,153		

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.