

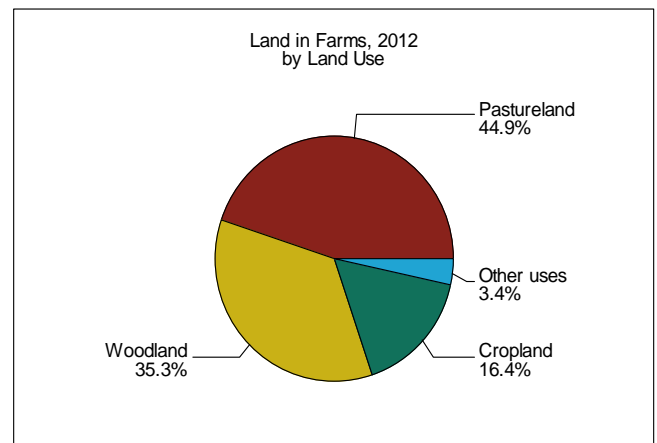
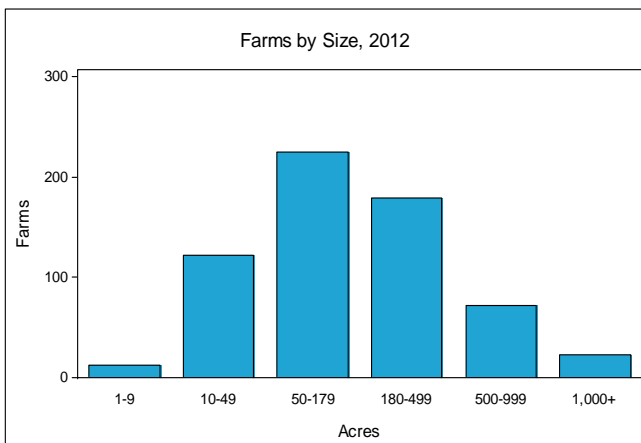
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Izard County Arkansas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	633	639	- 1
Land in Farms	172,579 acres	170,415 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	273 acres	267 acres	+ 2
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$49,402,000	\$40,302,000	+ 23
Crop Sales (D)			
Livestock Sales (D)			
Average Per Farm	\$78,044	\$63,071	+ 24
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Government Payments	\$2,095,000	\$396,000	+ 429
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,744	\$3,045	+ 253





Izard County – Arkansas

Ranked items among the 75 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	49,402	51	75	1,776	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	27	75	926	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	49	57	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	22	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	63	39	74	2,070	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	58	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	19	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	27,273	32	73	365	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	17	75	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	27	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	5	65	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	24	41	71	2,361	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	355	9	73	782	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	34	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	10	39	70	2,230	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	17,103	32	75	1,131	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	46	51	(D)	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	(D)	46	51	(D)	2,480
Corn for grain	(D)	44	49	(D)	2,638
Vegetables harvested, all	30	31	74	1,858	2,801
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,609,720	30	65	240	2,723
Cattle and calves	30,079	23	75	959	3,063
Hogs and pigs	(D)	5	69	(D)	2,889
Quail	(D)	2	20	(D)	944
Layers	1,431	50	75	1,574	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	140	Farming	264
\$1,000 to \$2,499	60	Other	369
\$2,500 to \$4,999	77		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	92	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	84	Male	542
\$20,000 to \$24,999	36	Female	91
\$25,000 to \$39,999	63		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	31		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	12
\$500,000 or more	22	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	47,242	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	74,633	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	945
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,420	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	8,563	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	5

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.