

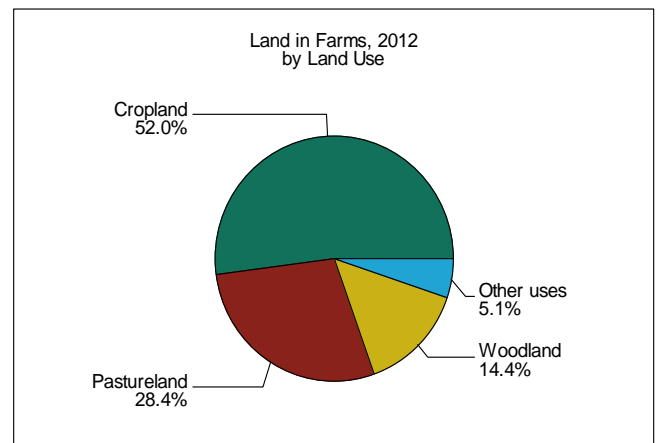
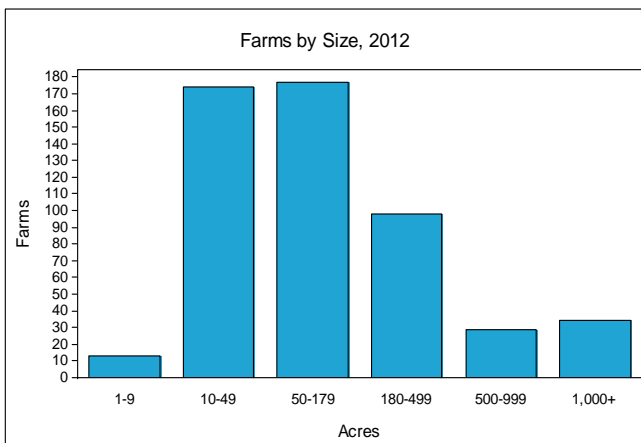
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Miller County Arkansas

|   | 2012          | 2007          | % change |
|---|---------------|---------------|----------|
| <b>Number of Farms</b>                    | 525           | 601           | - 13     |
| <b>Land in Farms</b>                      | 163,917 acres | 174,931 acres | - 6      |
| <b>Average Size of Farm</b>               | 312 acres     | 291 acres     | + 7      |
| <b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>      | \$45,538,000  | \$48,738,000  | - 7      |
| Crop Sales \$24,502,000 (54 percent)      |               |               |          |
| Livestock Sales \$21,036,000 (46 percent) |               |               |          |
| Average Per Farm                          | \$86,738      | \$81,094      | + 7      |
| <b>Government Payments</b>                | \$1,229,000   | \$1,309,000   | - 6      |
| Average Per Farm Receiving Payments       | \$12,802      | \$17,694      | - 28     |





## Miller County – Arkansas

### Ranked items among the 75 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

| Item  | Quantity | State Rank | Universe <sup>1</sup> | U.S. Rank | Universe <sup>1</sup> |
|---|----------|------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| <b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>           |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Total value of agricultural products sold                             | 45,538   | 54         | 75                    | 1,841     | 3,077                 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse                       | 24,502   | 29         | 75                    | 1,599     | 3,072                 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products                       | 21,036   | 44         | 75                    | 1,583     | 3,076                 |
| <b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>                    |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas                             | 21,952   | 29         | 57                    | 1,195     | 2,926                 |
| Tobacco   | -        | -          | -                     | -         | 436                   |
| Cotton and cottonseed   | -        | -          | 22                    | -         | 635                   |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes                      | (D)      | 20         | 74                    | (D)       | 2,802                 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries  | 1,102    | 4          | 73                    | 468       | 2,724                 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod                            | (D)      | 38         | 58                    | (D)       | 2,678                 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops                    | -        | -          | 19                    | -         | 1,530                 |
| Other crops and hay   | 1,136    | 26         | 75                    | 1,814     | 3,049                 |
| Poultry and eggs  | 12,988   | 44         | 73                    | 541       | 3,013                 |
| Cattle and calves   | 7,888    | 35         | 75                    | 1,488     | 3,056                 |
| Milk from cows  | (D)      | 24         | 27                    | (D)       | 2,038                 |
| Hogs and pigs   | -        | -          | 65                    | -         | 2,827                 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk                                  | (D)      | (D)        | 71                    | (D)       | 2,988                 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys                            | 63       | 44         | 73                    | 2,141     | 3,011                 |
| Aquaculture   | (D)      | 27         | 34                    | (D)       | 1,366                 |
| Other animals and other animal products                               | 1        | 64         | 70                    | 2,840     | 2,924                 |
| <b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>   |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Wheat for grain, all  | 19,225   | 10         | 51                    | 478       | 2,537                 |
| Winter wheat for grain  | 19,225   | 10         | 51                    | 382       | 2,480                 |
| Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 17,164   | 31         | 75                    | 1,129     | 3,057                 |
| Soybeans for beans  | 17,144   | 30         | 48                    | 975       | 2,162                 |
| Corn for grain  | 10,653   | 22         | 49                    | 1,171     | 2,638                 |
| <b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>                         |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens                                 | 486,283  | 43         | 65                    | 396       | 2,723                 |
| Layers  | 78,348   | 33         | 75                    | 412       | 3,040                 |
| Cattle and calves   | 27,238   | 28         | 75                    | 1,050     | 3,063                 |
| Roosters  | 9,360    | 32         | 63                    | 202       | 2,120                 |
| Horses and ponies   | 939      | 24         | 75                    | 1,275     | 3,072                 |

### Other County Highlights, 2012

| Economic Characteristics                    | Quantity | Operator Characteristics  | Quantity |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Farms by value of sales:                    |          | Principal operators by primary occupation:                        |          |
| Less than \$1,000                           | 152      | Farming   | 236      |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499                          | 57       | Other   | 289      |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999                          | 42       | Principal operators by sex:                                       |          |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999                          | 68       | Male  | 451      |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999                        | 63       | Female  | 74       |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999                        | 19       | Average age of principal operator (years)                         | 60.0     |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999                        | 32       | All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :                              |          |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999                        | 13       | American Indian or Alaska Native                                  | 11       |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999                        | 35       | Asian   | 3        |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999                      | 15       | Black or African American   | 35       |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999                      | 9        | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander                         | -        |
| \$500,000 or more                           | 20       | White   | 746      |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)    | 45,267   | More than one race  | 13       |
| Average per farm (\$)                       | 86,223   | All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup> | 5        |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 4,334    |   |          |
| Average per farm (\$)                       | 8,255    |   |          |

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.