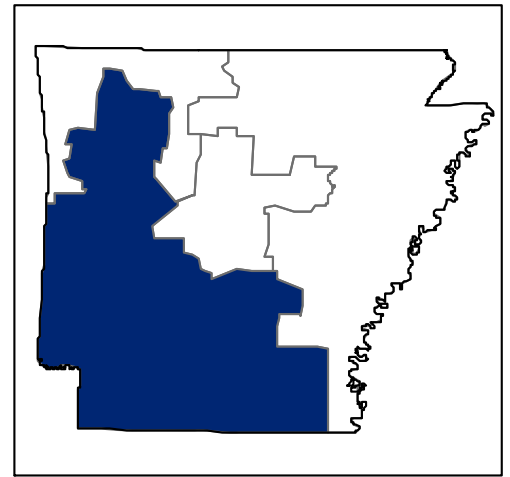


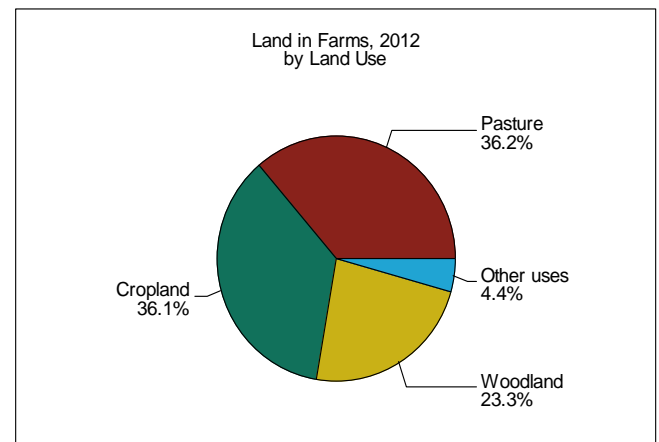
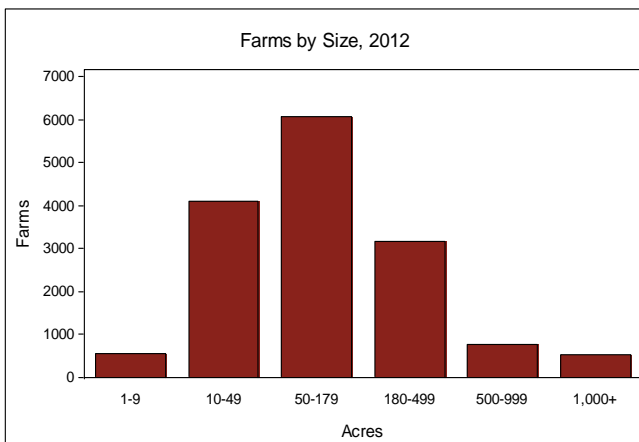
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



### Arkansas 4th District

	2012
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	23,503
<b>Number of Farms</b>	15,199
<b>Land in Farms</b>	3,332,296 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	219 acres
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	340,332 acres
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<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$2,815,976,000
Average Per Farm	\$185,274
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$42,424,000
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<b>Government Payments</b>	\$26,731,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,151



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Ranked items among the 4 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 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	2,815,976	2	4	30	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	413,628	2	4	113	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,402,349	1	4	16	423
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	315,472	2	4	70	387
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	31,673	2	2	39	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	16,453	2	4	125	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	1	4	113	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	13,120	2	4	251	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	3	4	(D)	332
Other crops and hay	28,490	2	4	113	398
Poultry and eggs	2,039,699	1	4	1	405
Cattle and calves	310,454	1	4	40	393
Milk from cows	5,661	3	4	224	310
Hogs and pigs	27,076	1	4	77	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	1,029	2	4	147	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,431	1	4	103	402
Aquaculture	14,370	2	4	24	336
Other animals and other animal products	628	3	4	222	413
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	562,929	1	4	20	401
Soybeans for beans	218,975	2	4	60	276
Corn for grain	105,970	2	4	89	356
Wheat for grain, all	61,376	2	4	62	324
Winter wheat for grain	61,376	2	4	59	317
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	92,143,358	1	4	2	365
Layers	6,085,368	1	4	10	405
Turkeys	3,984,583	2	4	7	356
Pullets for laying flock replacement	3,955,348	1	4	4	361
Roosters	839,618	1	4	1	333

### Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,617	Farming	7,175
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,388	Other	8,024
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,583	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,998	Male	13,355
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,913	Female	1,844
\$20,000 to \$24,999	568	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	913	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	308	American Indian or Alaska Native	311
\$50,000 to \$99,999	650	Asian	303
\$100,000 to \$249,999	333	Black or African American	575
\$250,000 to \$499,999	364	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
\$500,000 or more	1,564	White	21,872
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,385,921	More than one race	174
Average per farm (\$)	156,979	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	361
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	499,210		
Average per farm (\$)	32,864		

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 congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.