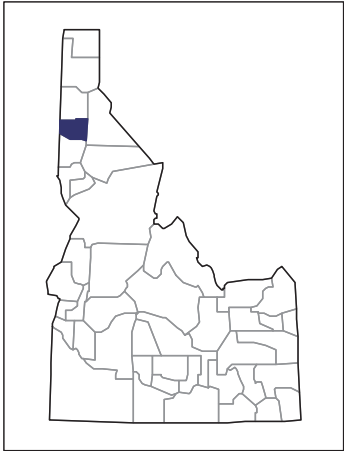


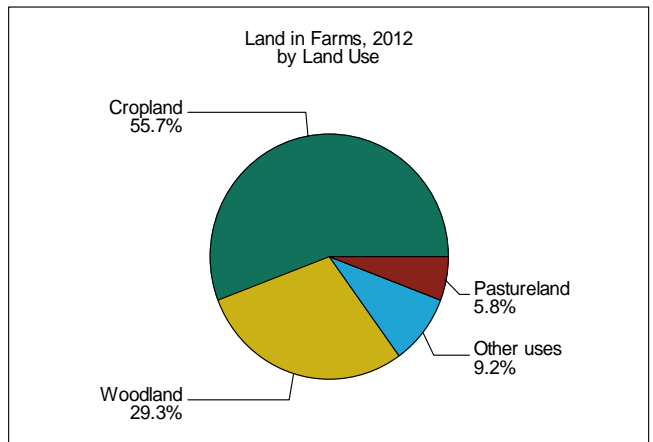
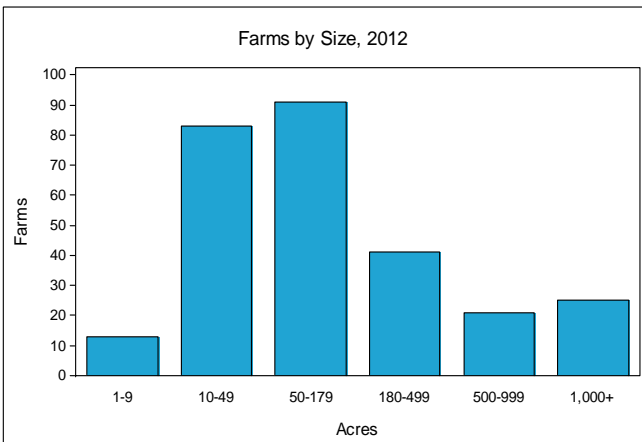
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Benewah County Idaho

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	274	292	- 6
Land in Farms	146,615 acres	153,591 acres	- 5
Average Size of Farm	535 acres	526 acres	+ 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$23,854,000	\$20,447,000	+ 17
Crop Sales \$23,114,000 (97 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$740,000 (3 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$87,057	\$70,023	+ 24
Government Payments	\$1,516,000	\$1,415,000	+ 7
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,124	\$11,694	+ 4





Benewah County – Idaho

Ranked items among the 44 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	23,854	36	44	2,271	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	23,114	31	44	1,632	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	740	43	44	2,913	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	19,009	20	42	1,261	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	55	37	43	2,132	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	37	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	261	28	41	1,660	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	25	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	37	44	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	7	34	43	2,504	3,013
Cattle and calves	648	43	44	2,730	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	35	35	2,010	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	36	39	2,507	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	23	37	43	2,373	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	28	39	43	2,541	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	29	33	42	1,721	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	31,802	15	42	353	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	25,209	9	37	308	2,480
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	13,922	37	44	1,315	3,057
Lentils	8,684	2	7	12	73
Spring wheat for grain	5,543	20	41	196	633
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,691	43	44	2,778	3,063
Layers	554	30	43	2,315	3,040
Horses and ponies	349	38	44	2,395	3,072
Sheep and lambs	224	37	41	1,997	2,897
Colonies of bees	184	24	36	970	2,761

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	118	Farming	125
\$1,000 to \$2,499	29	Other	149
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	24	Male	232
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Female	42
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	62.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	10	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$500,000 or more	14	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	20,137	Black or African American	1
Average per farm (\$)	73,494	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	431
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,897	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	28,821	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4

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.