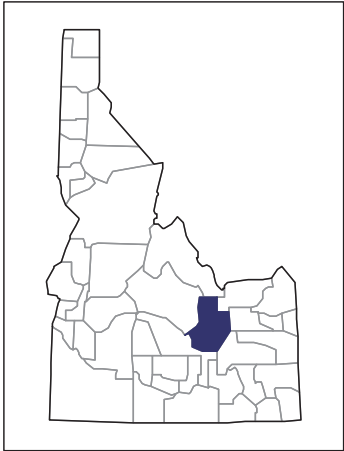


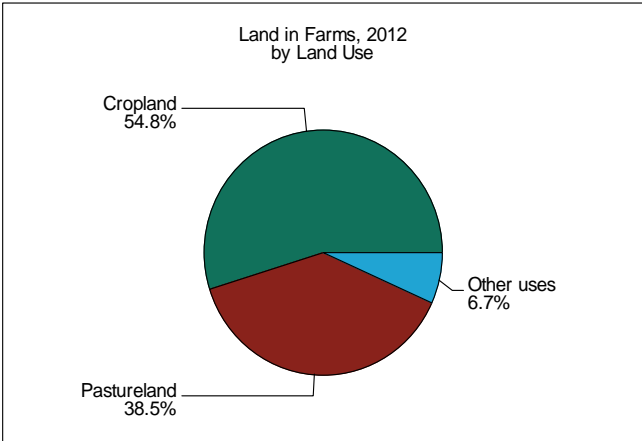
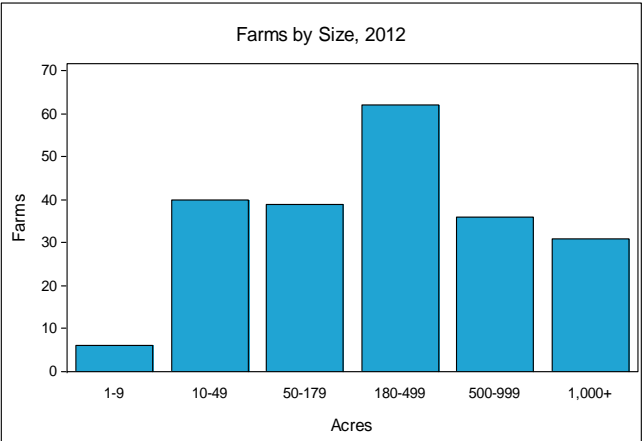
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Butte County Idaho

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	214	222	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	125,193 acres	121,176 acres	+ 3
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	585 acres	546 acres	+ 7
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$39,299,000	\$24,977,000	+ 57
Crop Sales \$32,391,000 (82 percent) Livestock Sales \$6,908,000 (18 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$183,641	\$112,507	+ 63
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,539,000	\$1,460,000	+ 5
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$10,687	\$11,494	- 7





## Butte County – Idaho

### Ranked items among the 44 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	39,299	27	44	1,947	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	32,391	25	44	1,429	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,908	32	44	2,328	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	11,751	26	42	1,454	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	25	43	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	37	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	31	41	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	25	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	19,152	13	44	166	3,049
Poultry and eggs	6	36	43	2,567	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	32	44	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	24	35	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	13	30	39	2,013	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	98	30	43	1,369	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	106	31	43	1,796	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	19	35	42	1,930	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	37,890	15	44	412	3,057
Barley for grain	12,522	15	41	70	1,158
Wheat for grain, all	6,089	32	42	895	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	4,920	22	41	203	633
Winter wheat for grain	1,169	34	37	1,517	2,480
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	13,089	28	44	1,721	3,063
Sheep and lambs	1,077	22	41	836	2,897
Horses and ponies	708	33	44	1,649	3,072
Layers	437	34	43	2,450	3,040
Hogs and pigs	59	29	39	2,236	2,889

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	37	Farming	152
\$1,000 to \$2,499	12	Other	62
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Male	187
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Female	27
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	36	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	26	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	21	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	27,325	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	127,685	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	330
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	14,509	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	67,801	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	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.

<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.