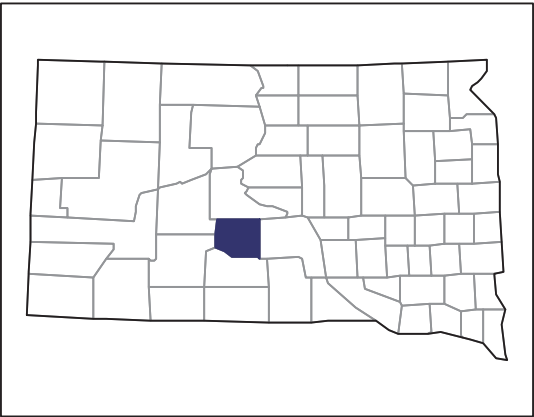


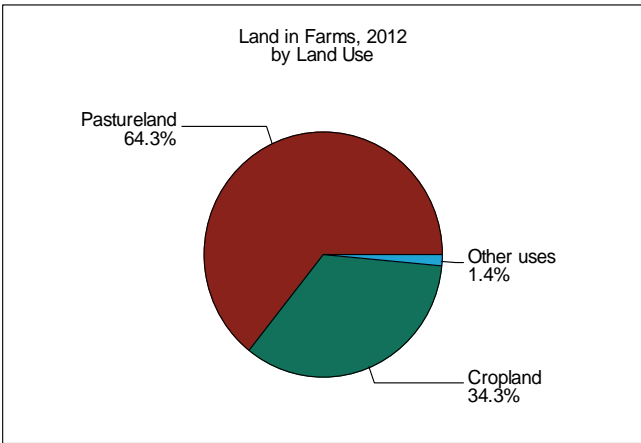
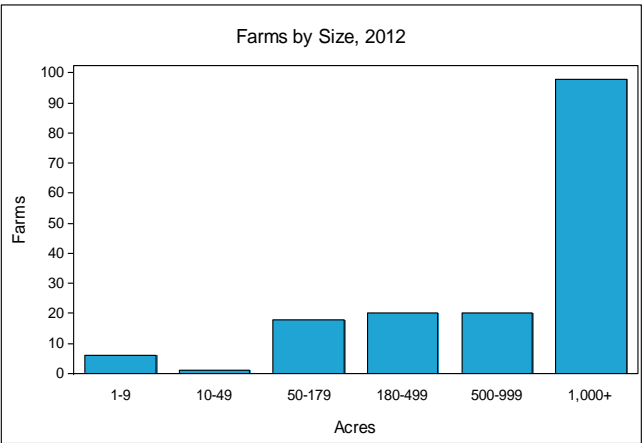
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Jones County South Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	163	163	0
Land in Farms	612,384 acres	519,314 acres	+ 18
Average Size of Farm	3,757 acres	3,186 acres	+ 18
Market Value of Products Sold	\$65,252,000	\$28,811,000	+ 126
Crop Sales \$40,121,000 (61 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$25,130,000 (39 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$400,317	\$176,753	+ 126
Government Payments	\$2,535,000	\$2,514,000	+ 1
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$19,208	\$18,351	+ 5





Jones County – South Dakota

Ranked items among the 66 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	65,252	56	66	1,558	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	40,121	49	66	1,293	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	25,130	58	66	1,445	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	35,830	48	66	1,000	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	41	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	31	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	37	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	7	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	4,291	19	66	692	3,049
Poultry and eggs	22	35	65	2,015	3,013
Cattle and calves	25,077	53	66	652	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	46	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	20	47	59	1,812	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	-	-	64	-	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	11	63	66	2,800	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	10	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	61	-	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	69,892	10	66	212	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	55,978	7	65	171	2,480
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	45,676	22	66	267	3,057
Sunflower seed, all	26,038	8	48	21	565
Sunflower seed, oil	24,125	7	47	18	489
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	43,205	46	66	614	3,063
Pheasants	(D)	13	25	(D)	963
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	450	16	50	1,272	2,723
Horses and ponies	364	56	66	2,365	3,072
Layers	245	58	65	2,695	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	26	Farming	119
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5	Other	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3	Male	145
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Female	18
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	31	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	32	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	32	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	47,976	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	294,334	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	251
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	23,035	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	141,319	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-

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.