

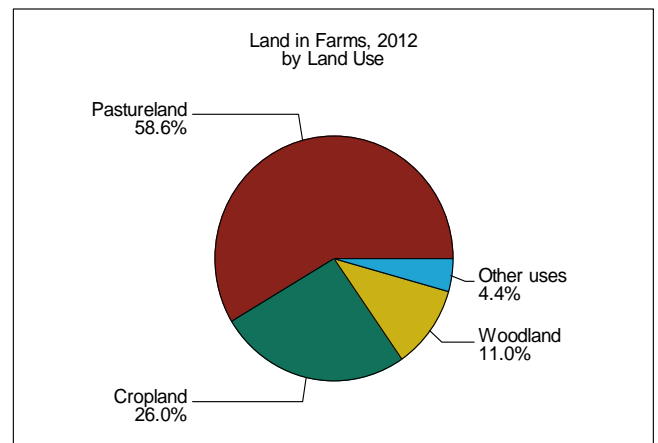
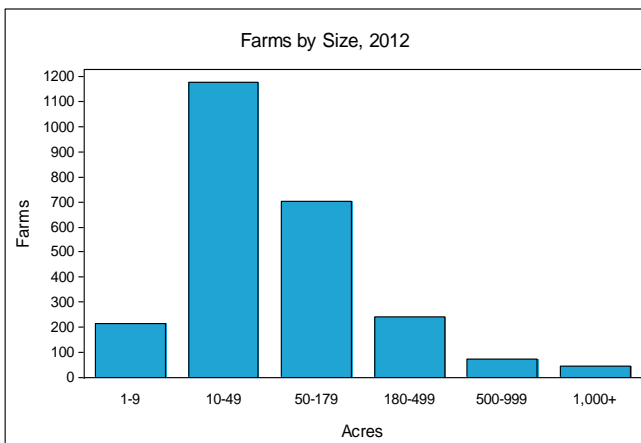
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Bexar County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	2,457	2,496	- 2
Land in Farms	342,882 acres	425,909 acres	- 19
Average Size of Farm	140 acres	171 acres	- 18
Market Value of Products Sold	\$72,387,000	\$84,223,000	- 14
Crop Sales \$54,705,000 (76 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$17,682,000 (24 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$29,461	\$33,743	- 13
Government Payments	\$706,000	\$573,000	+ 23
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,871	\$2,967	- 3





Bexar County – Texas

Ranked items among the 254 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	72,387	85	254	1,470	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	54,705	45	253	1,093	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17,682	138	254	1,712	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,768	83	238	1,652	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	801	115	165	451	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,642	31	199	532	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	365	106	215	820	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	40,238	8	165	76	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	46	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,889	81	252	762	3,049
Poultry and eggs	92	84	241	1,422	3,013
Cattle and calves	14,923	129	254	1,023	3,056
Milk from cows	723	66	105	1,370	2,038
Hogs and pigs	570	14	227	945	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	481	54	251	344	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	668	57	254	409	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	225	77	236	716	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	30,931	55	252	573	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	6,702	83	201	853	2,537
Corn for grain	6,509	51	163	1,342	2,638
Winter wheat for grain	6,462	83	201	788	2,480
Sorghum for grain	3,888	81	177	208	1,220
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	31,309	123	254	915	3,063
Goats, all	5,373	42	250	64	2,996
Layers	4,382	63	249	858	3,040
Horses and ponies	3,784	22	254	123	3,072
Sheep and lambs	3,601	37	240	241	2,897

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	888	Farming	1,016
\$1,000 to \$2,499	437	Other	1,441
\$2,500 to \$4,999	340		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	371	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	204	Male	2,048
\$20,000 to \$24,999	38	Female	409
\$25,000 to \$39,999	58		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	29	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	36	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	30
\$500,000 or more	16	Asian	15
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	85,152	Black or African American	54
Average per farm (\$)	34,657	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
		White	3,540
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-6,147	More than one race	38
Average per farm (\$)	-2,502	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	962

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero.

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.