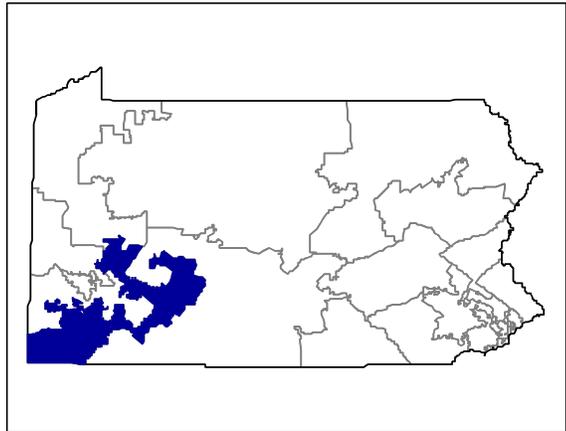




2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.



District 12, Pennsylvania

Number of farms: 4,456

Land in farms: 612,558 acres

Average size of farm: 137 acres

Irrigated Land: 1,033 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 6,612

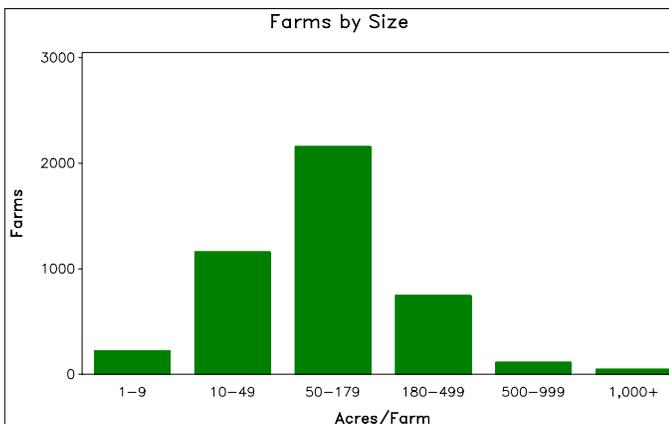
Market Value of Production: \$101,852,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$22,857

Government Payments: \$3,557,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$4,941

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$5,160,000



**2002 Census of Agriculture
Congressional District Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania Agricultural Statistics Service**

District 12, Pennsylvania

Ranked items among the 19 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

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	101,852	8	19	251	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7,144	10	17	194	371
Tobacco	-	-	10	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4,199	9	18	205	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,595	11	18	215	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	18,250	9	18	212	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1,901	7	17	39	349
Poultry and eggs	1,888	12	16	220	382
Cattle and calves	15,058	8	17	207	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	40,077	8	16	119	339
Hogs and pigs	677	12	17	185	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	1,063	2	17	79	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,211	8	16	205	398
Aquaculture	390	8	15	184	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	88,111	8	17	178	394
Layers 20 weeks old and older	87,040	10	17	181	387
Pheasants	17,367	3	16	35	327
Sheep and lambs	13,020	2	17	77	383
Mink	11,650	1	5	26	61
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	169,810	5	17	96	391
Corn for grain	35,187	9	17	132	327
Corn for silage	14,845	8	16	95	330
Oats	12,025	4	16	39	311
Soybeans	10,009	11	17	163	269

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	1,736	Farming	2,137
\$1,000 to \$2,499	698	Other	2,319
\$2,500 to \$4,999	596	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	419	Male	3,945
\$10,000 to \$19,999	371	Female	511
\$20,000 to \$24,999	84	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ³	124	All operators ⁴ by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ³	63	White	6,419
\$50,000 to \$99,999	146	Black or African American	18
\$100,000 to \$249,999	129	American Indian or Alaska Native	8
\$250,000 to \$499,999	63	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	27	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ³	101,261	More than one race	28
Average per farm (\$) ³	22,071	All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	48
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	10,807		
Average per farm (\$)	2,356		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Value corrected January 2005.

⁴ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.