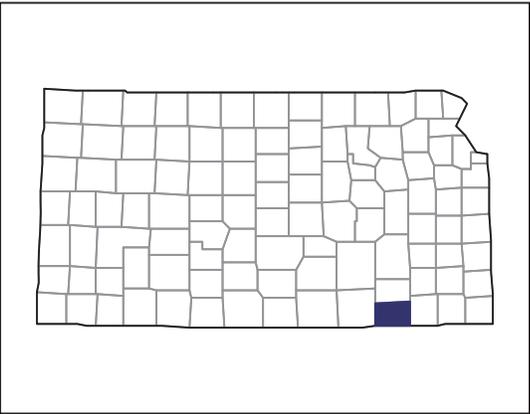


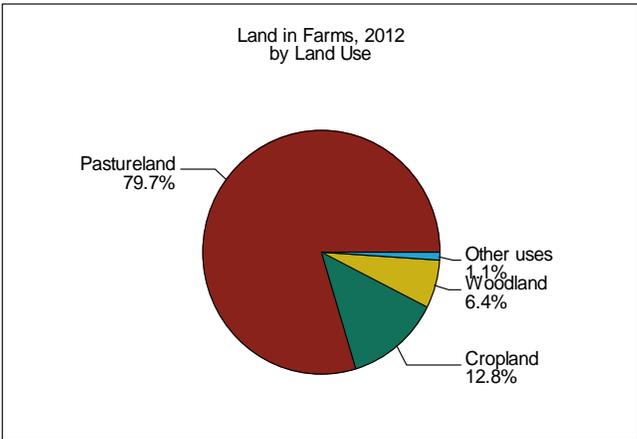
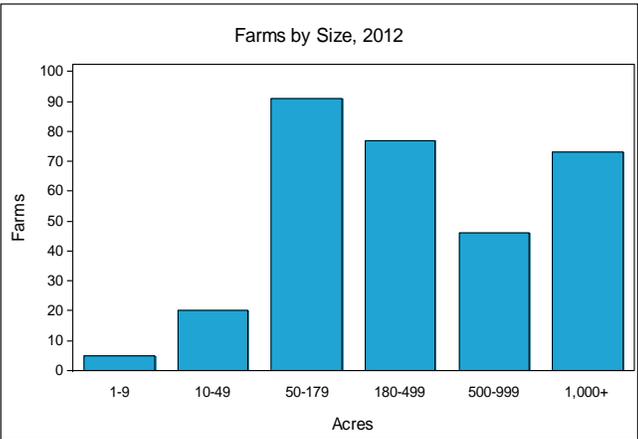
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

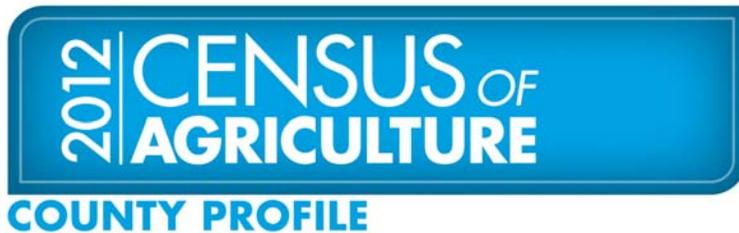
## COUNTY PROFILE



### Chautauqua County Kansas

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	312	359	- 13
<b>Land in Farms</b>	310,310 acres	308,232 acres	+ 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	995 acres	859 acres	+ 16
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$35,195,000	\$27,529,000	+ 28
Crop Sales (D)			
Livestock Sales (D)			
Average Per Farm	\$112,803	\$76,683	+ 47
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$626,000	\$425,000	+ 47
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,742	\$4,335	+ 32





## Chautauqua County – Kansas

### Ranked items among the 105 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	35,195	102	105	2,034	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	103	105	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	71	105	(D)	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3,955	104	105	1,831	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	73	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	113	11	59	1,352	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	25	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	6	63	100	2,539	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	64	105	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	75	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	101	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	76	53	102	1,603	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	132	38	104	1,609	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14,296	72	105	1,292	3,057
Soybeans for beans	6,889	79	103	1,206	2,162
Wheat for grain, all	4,673	98	105	1,011	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	4,673	98	105	936	2,480
Corn for grain	3,100	99	105	1,575	2,638
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	28,299	81	105	1,012	3,063
Goats, all	863	11	99	680	2,996
Horses and ponies	775	32	105	1,540	3,072
Colonies of bees	536	5	73	544	2,761
Hogs and pigs	391	57	101	1,330	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	46	Farming	166
\$1,000 to \$2,499	14	Other	146
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	31	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	38	Male	280
\$20,000 to \$24,999	24	Female	32
\$25,000 to \$39,999	27		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	27	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	21
\$500,000 or more	16	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	30,700	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	98,398	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	427
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,706	More than one race	13
Average per farm (\$)	21,494	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-

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.