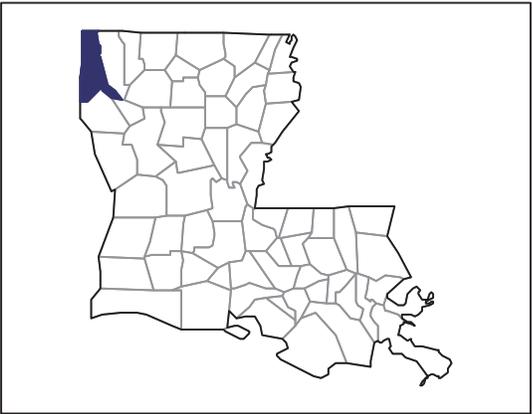


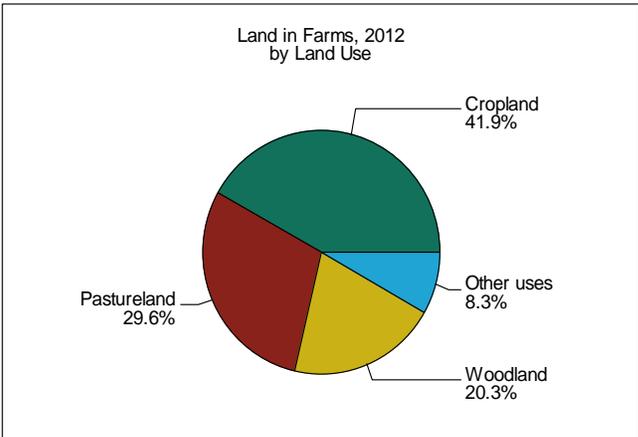
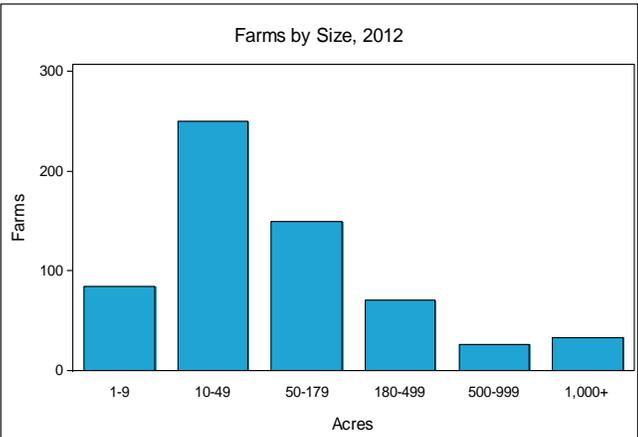
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## PARISH PROFILE



### Caddo Parish Louisiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	614	625	- 2
<b>Land in Farms</b>	139,856 acres	151,215 acres	- 8
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	228 acres	242 acres	- 6
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$50,616,000	\$33,034,000	+ 53
Crop Sales \$42,295,000 (84 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,321,000 (16 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$82,436	\$52,854	+ 56
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,364,000	\$3,956,000	- 40
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$25,974	\$49,454	- 47





## Caddo Parish – Louisiana

### Ranked items among the 64 state parishes 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	50,616	29	64	1,761	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	42,295	24	64	1,261	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,321	27	64	2,219	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	26,911	18	54	1,121	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	10,830	7	23	162	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	8	63	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,358	9	55	927	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	13	29	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,856	26	63	1,404	3,049
Poultry and eggs	41	24	61	1,688	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	18	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	2	45	51	2,615	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	1	57	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	268	22	61	1,002	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	48	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	96	18	58	1,117	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	19,830	9	37	968	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	13,006	11	63	1,392	3,057
Cotton, all	11,884	7	23	207	635
Upland cotton	11,884	7	23	207	635
Soybeans for beans	8,215	22	50	1,159	2,162
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	13,138	24	64	1,718	3,063
Layers	1,942	21	64	1,317	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,480	12	63	738	3,072
Goats, all	831	4	61	709	2,996
Colonies of bees	438	7	51	599	2,761

### Other Parish Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	244	Farming	296
\$1,000 to \$2,499	67	Other	318
\$2,500 to \$4,999	64		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	65	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Male	520
\$20,000 to \$24,999	23	Female	94
\$25,000 to \$39,999	30		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	13	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$500,000 or more	31	Asian	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	40,377	Black or African American	143
Average per farm (\$)	65,761	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	761
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	15,400	More than one race	6
Average per farm (\$)	25,081	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	17

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.