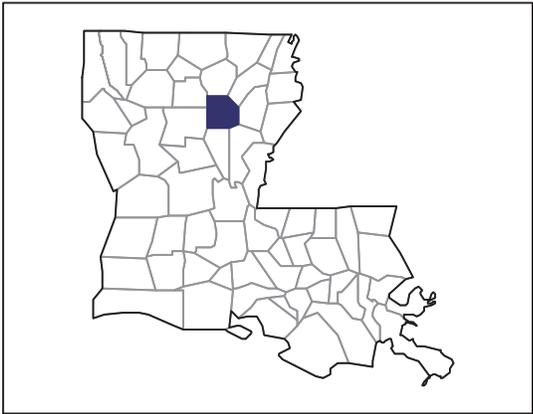


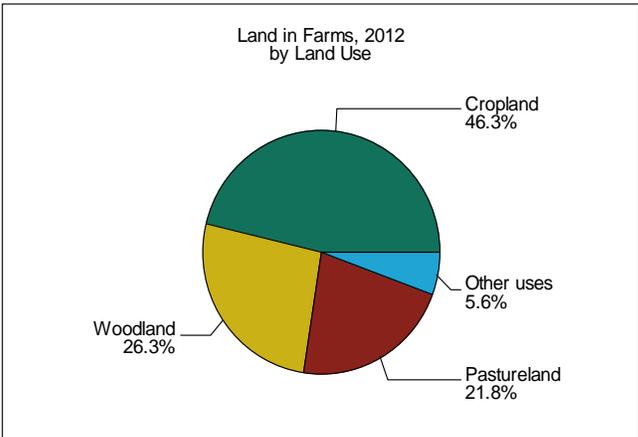
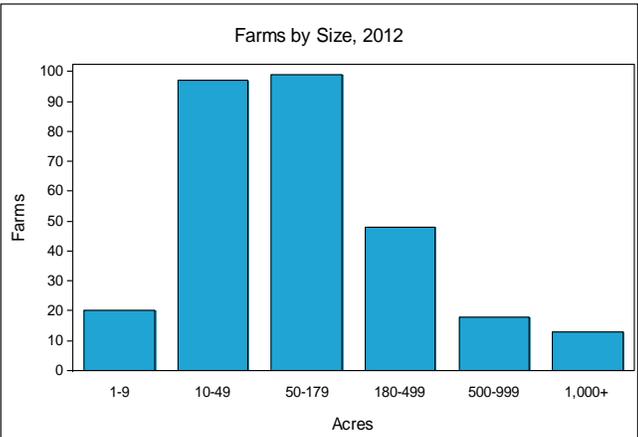
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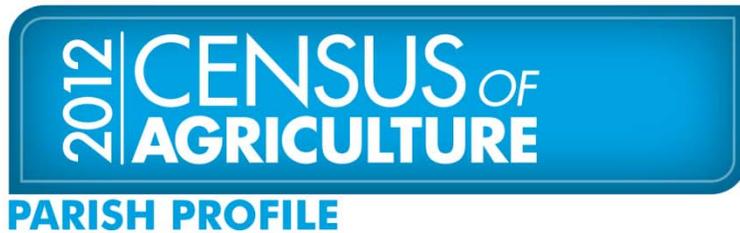
PARISH PROFILE



Caldwell Parish Louisiana

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	295	307	- 4
Land in Farms	62,265 acres	67,474 acres	- 8
Average Size of Farm	211 acres	220 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$11,484,000	\$8,361,000	+ 37
Crop Sales \$9,663,000 (84 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,821,000 (16 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$38,930	\$27,235	+ 43
Government Payments	\$1,762,000	\$1,811,000	- 3
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,453	\$11,758	+ 14





2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

PARISH PROFILE

Caldwell Parish – Louisiana

Ranked items among the 64 state parishes 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	11,484	52	64	2,620	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	9,663	40	64	2,116	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,821	53	64	2,782	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,028	29	54	1,684	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	2,988	13	23	324	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	42	60	2,106	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	123	34	63	1,311	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	29	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	390	50	63	2,538	3,049
Poultry and eggs	57	21	61	1,577	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,694	42	64	2,411	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	18	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	6	31	51	2,300	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	8	43	57	2,731	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	52	48	61	2,250	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	48	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	4	50	58	2,556	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	5,153	13	23	319	635
Upland cotton	5,153	13	23	318	635
Soybeans for beans	3,786	33	50	1,363	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,686	41	63	2,406	3,057
Corn for grain	2,832	20	37	1,605	2,638
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	5,693	46	64	2,329	3,063
Quail	3,660	2	21	153	944
Layers	764	37	64	2,073	3,040
Horses and ponies	548	38	63	1,949	3,072
Goats, all	246	30	61	2,001	2,996

Other Parish Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	143	Farming	119
\$1,000 to \$2,499	21	Other	176
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	24	Male	262
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Female	33
\$25,000 to \$39,999	8		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$500,000 or more	4	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,428	Black or African American	7
Average per farm (\$)	38,740	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	432
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,237	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	10,973	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8

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.