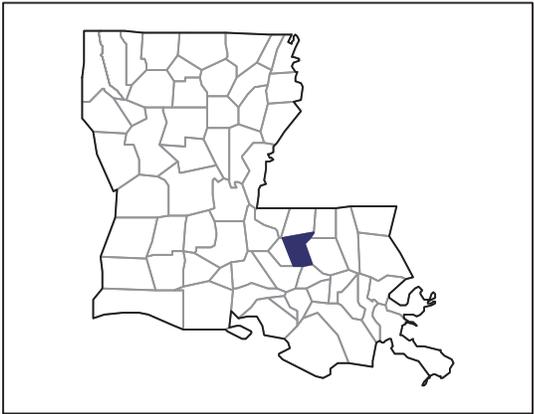


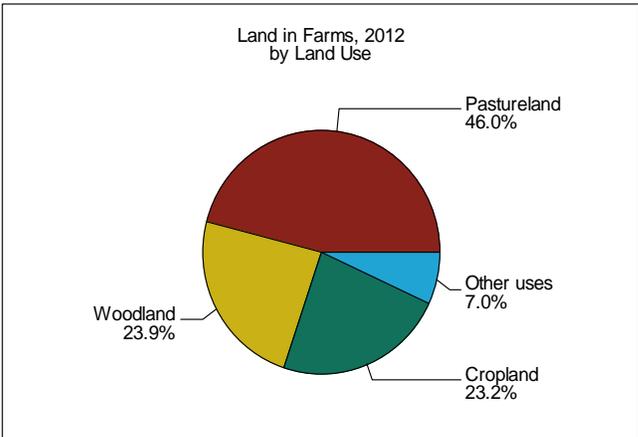
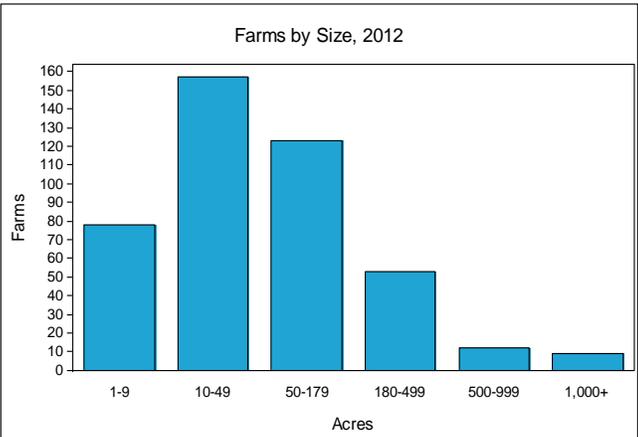
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

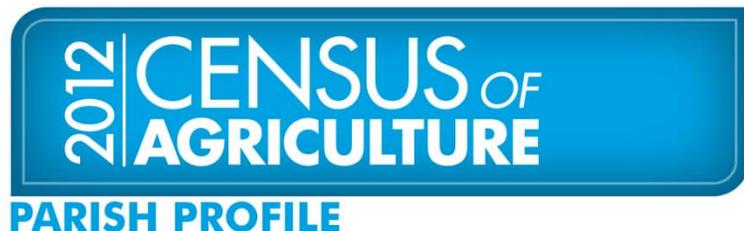
## PARISH PROFILE



### East Baton Rouge Parish Louisiana

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	432	511	- 15
<b>Land in Farms</b>	57,542 acres	72,165 acres	- 20
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	133 acres	141 acres	- 6
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$11,458,000	\$10,733,000	+ 7
Crop Sales \$2,745,000 (24 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,713,000 (76 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$26,523	\$21,004	+ 26
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$209,000	\$179,000	+ 17
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,977	\$3,739	+ 60





## East Baton Rouge 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	11,458	53	64	2,624	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,745	48	64	2,626	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,713	26	64	2,193	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	46	54	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	311	17	60	1,296	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	63	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,003	10	55	1,070	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	27	29	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	871	37	63	2,032	3,049
Poultry and eggs	3,460	12	61	815	3,013
Cattle and calves	3,891	28	64	1,971	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	7	18	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	51	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	21	24	57	2,407	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	547	9	61	501	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	35	48	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	98	17	58	1,106	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,068	27	63	1,947	3,057
Soybeans for beans	(D)	45	50	(D)	2,162
Pecans, all	232	17	56	298	1,263
Corn for silage	(D)	5	13	(D)	2,237
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	37	40	(D)	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	150,210	10	43	513	2,723
Cattle and calves	11,298	29	64	1,836	3,063
Layers	1,290	26	64	1,652	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,278	15	63	892	3,072
Colonies of bees	708	6	51	479	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	151	Farming	172
\$1,000 to \$2,499	48	Other	260
\$2,500 to \$4,999	55	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	65	Male	363
\$10,000 to \$19,999	28	Female	69
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	25	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	18	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	Black or African American	109
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	6
\$500,000 or more	3	White	517
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	12,981	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	30,048	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-944		
Average per farm (\$)	-2,185		

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.