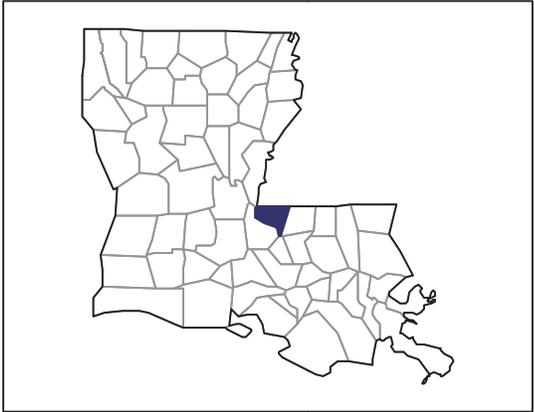


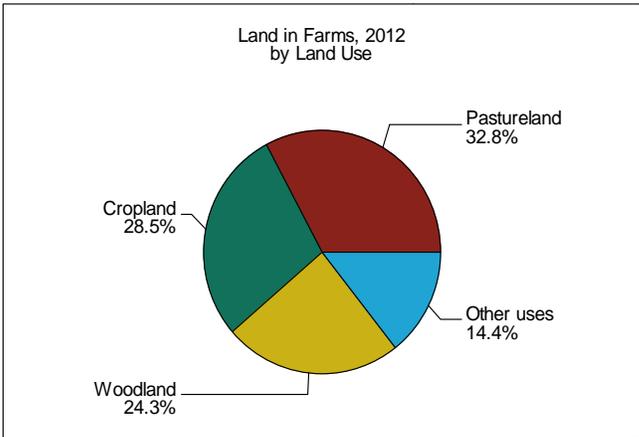
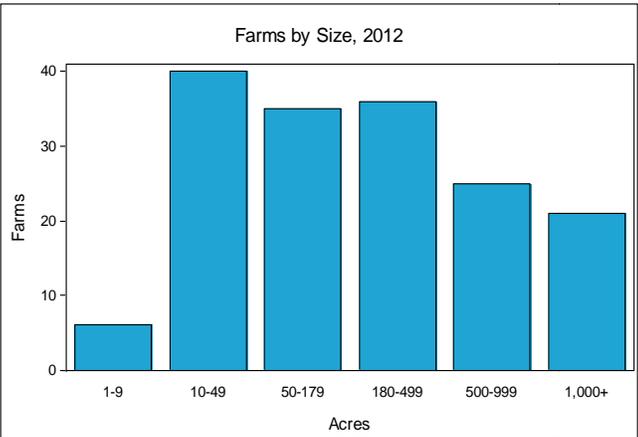
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

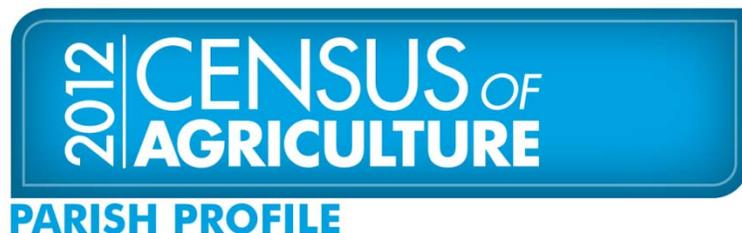
PARISH PROFILE



West Feliciana Parish Louisiana

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	163	176	- 7
Land in Farms	101,261 acres	66,662 acres	+ 52
Average Size of Farm	621 acres	379 acres	+ 64
Market Value of Products Sold	\$18,663,000	\$4,301,000	+ 334
Crop Sales \$14,340,000 (77 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,323,000 (23 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$114,494	\$24,439	+ 368
Government Payments	\$273,000	\$204,000	+ 34
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,454	\$5,221	+ 4





West Feliciana 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	18,663	45	64	2,416	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	14,340	35	64	1,898	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,323	40	64	2,516	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	13,448	23	54	1,400	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	60	40	60	2,086	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	50	63	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	43	55	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	29	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	758	41	63	2,137	3,049
Poultry and eggs	73	17	61	1,492	3,013
Cattle and calves	3,944	27	64	1,967	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	18	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	9	42	57	2,717	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	282	20	61	957	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	48	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	11,810	20	50	1,074	2,162
Wheat for grain, all	9,914	12	40	683	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	9,914	12	40	596	2,480
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,489	23	63	1,786	3,057
Corn for grain	5,000	18	37	1,416	2,638
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Quail	(D)	1	21	31	944
Cattle and calves	14,216	21	64	1,652	3,063
Horses and ponies	834	29	63	1,430	3,072
Layers	204	52	64	2,757	3,040
Deer	(D)	9	20	(D)	1,034

Other Parish Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	56	Farming	66
\$1,000 to \$2,499	8	Other	97
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	12	Male	139
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Female	24
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4	Black or African American	27
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	7	White	205
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,482	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	58,169	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	5
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	11,359		
Average per farm (\$)	69,689		

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.