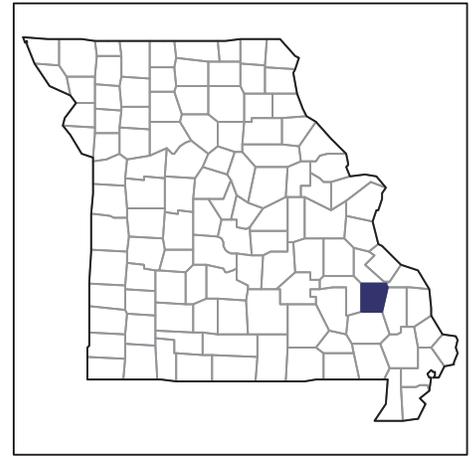


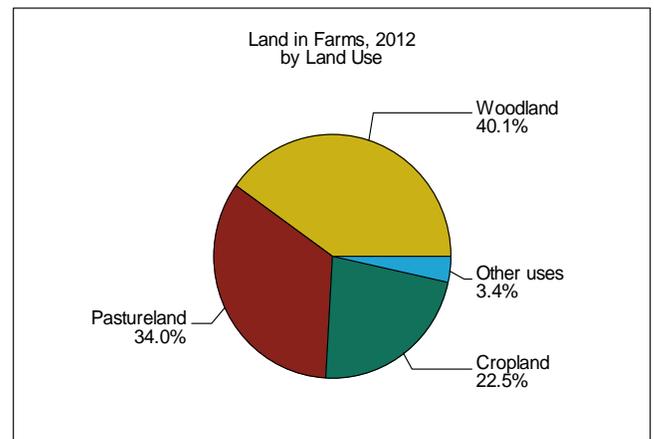
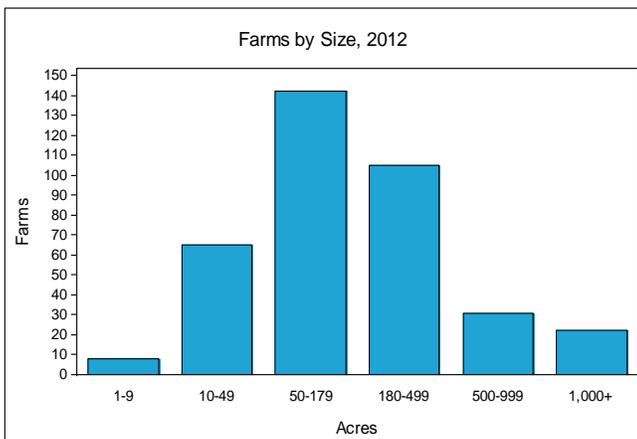
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Madison County Missouri

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	373	376	- 1
<b>Land in Farms</b>	107,100 acres	98,229 acres	+ 9
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	287 acres	261 acres	+ 10
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$18,352,000	\$10,455,000	+ 76
Crop Sales \$1,793,000 (10 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$16,559,000 (90 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$49,200	\$27,806	+ 77
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$102,000	\$129,000	- 21
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,084	\$3,407	- 39





## Madison County – Missouri

### Ranked items among the 114 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	18,352	100	114	2,424	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,793	107	114	2,754	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,559	77	114	1,779	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	97	114	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	109	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	107	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	106	107	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	55	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	12	94	113	2,286	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	114	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	96	96	2,009	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	109	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	31	99	110	2,214	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	22	107	114	2,632	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	46	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	5	89	114	2,452	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18,549	81	114	1,047	3,057
Soybeans for beans	1,622	94	111	1,588	2,162
Field and grass seed crops, all	302	40	74	165	583
Corn for grain	248	99	108	2,224	2,638
Corn for silage	(D)	95	101	(D)	2,237
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	15,377	90	114	1,572	3,063
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	108	(D)	2,889
Layers	856	88	113	1,990	3,040
Horses and ponies	401	101	114	2,275	3,072
Sheep and lambs	285	82	109	1,856	2,897

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	75	Farming	165
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30	Other	208
\$2,500 to \$4,999	48	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	Male	337
\$10,000 to \$19,999	60	Female	36
\$20,000 to \$24,999	24	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	23	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	8	White	563
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	19,399	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	52,008	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-260		
Average per farm (\$)	-697		

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.