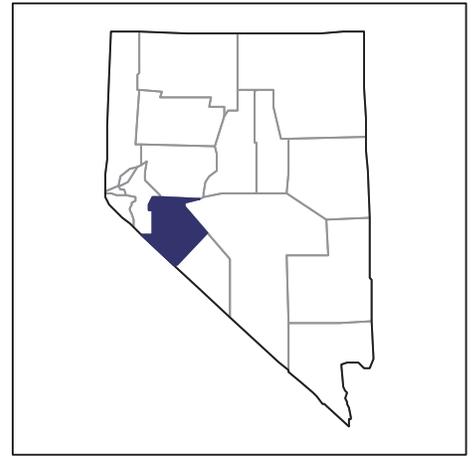


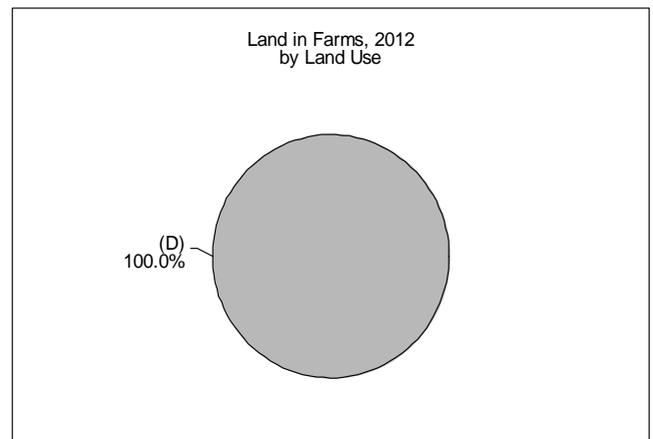
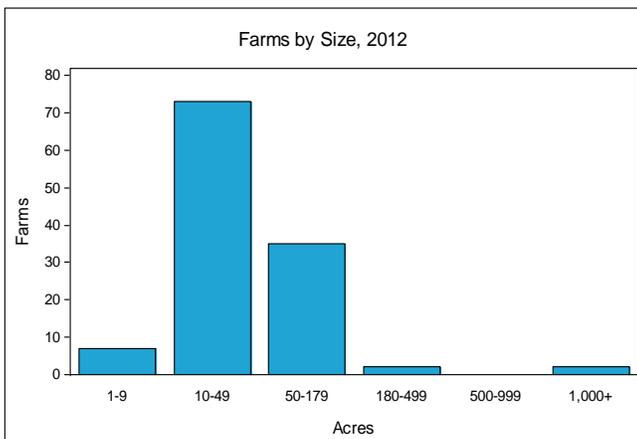
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Mineral County Nevada

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	119	84	+ 42
<b>Land in Farms</b>	(D)	(D)	
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	(D)	(D)	
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$884,000	\$2,943,000	- 70
Crop Sales \$499,000 (56 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$385,000 (44 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$7,426	\$35,035	- 79
<b>Government Payments</b>	-	\$938,000	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	-	\$15,629	





## Mineral County – Nevada

### Ranked items among the 17 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	884	16	17	3,022	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	499	16	17	2,970	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	385	15	17	2,977	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	13	-	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	11	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	11	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	12	12	2,659	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	1	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	15	16	2,426	3,049
Poultry and eggs	-	-	13	-	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	14	16	2,836	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	7	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	12	12	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	13	14	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-	16	-	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	7	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	12	-	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,440	14	17	2,633	3,057
Nursery stock crops	(D)	8	9	(D)	2,077
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	2,221	14	16	2,703	3,063
Horses and ponies	563	13	17	1,917	3,072
Layers	54	15	15	2,973	3,040
Goats, all	(D)	16	16	(D)	2,996
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	11	11	(D)	2,723

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	50	Farming	33
\$1,000 to \$2,499	8	Other	86
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	Male	75
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Female	44
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	65.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	124
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	41
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,557	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	21,486	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	14
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,517		
Average per farm (\$)	-12,746		

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.