

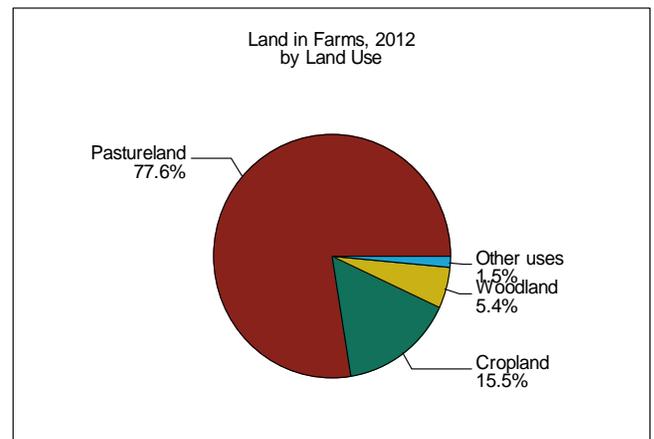
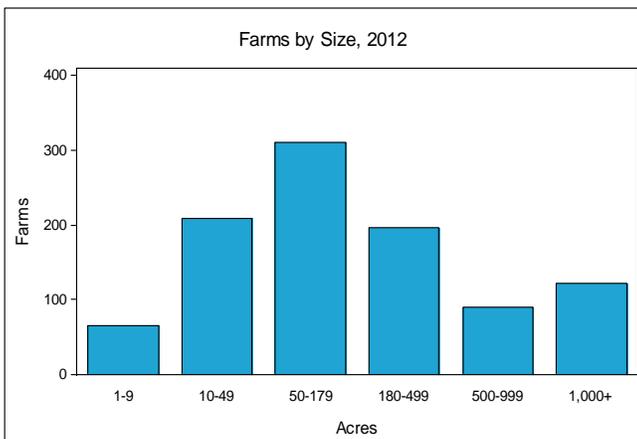
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Callahan County Texas

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	992	1,058	- 6
<b>Land in Farms</b>	563,179 acres	532,595 acres	+ 6
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	568 acres	503 acres	+ 13
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$29,901,000	\$25,404,000	+ 18
Crop Sales \$5,837,000 (20 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$24,064,000 (80 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$30,142	\$24,012	+ 26
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,943,000	\$876,000	+ 122
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,503	\$3,758	+ 100





## Callahan County – Texas

### Ranked items among the 254 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	29,901	159	254	2,152	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,837	173	253	2,353	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	24,064	119	254	1,482	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3,278	115	238	1,905	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	162	165	620	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	75	125	199	1,980	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	271	116	215	937	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	165	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	20	46	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	2,116	131	252	1,294	3,049
Poultry and eggs	12	151	241	2,298	3,013
Cattle and calves	21,829	93	254	753	3,056
Milk from cows	986	62	105	1,266	2,038
Hogs and pigs	4	171	227	2,437	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	378	64	251	445	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	793	49	254	325	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	91	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	63	132	236	1,319	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	20,571	91	252	944	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	17,354	59	201	511	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	17,354	59	201	420	2,480
Oats for grain	1,042	21	104	283	1,825
Sorghum for grain	307	141	177	642	1,220
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	37,809	102	254	747	3,063
Sheep and lambs	3,006	44	240	291	2,897
Goats, all	2,797	72	250	137	2,996
Horses and ponies	1,443	96	254	765	3,072
Layers	1,281	122	249	1,661	3,040

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	373	Farming	430
\$1,000 to \$2,499	115	Other	562
\$2,500 to \$4,999	109		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	110	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	99	Male	872
\$20,000 to \$24,999	38	Female	120
\$25,000 to \$39,999	34		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	47		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	26	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	13	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$500,000 or more	10	Asian	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	36,753	Black or African American	2
Average per farm (\$)	37,049	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
		White	1,431
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,513	More than one race	9
Average per farm (\$)	-1,526	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	36

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.