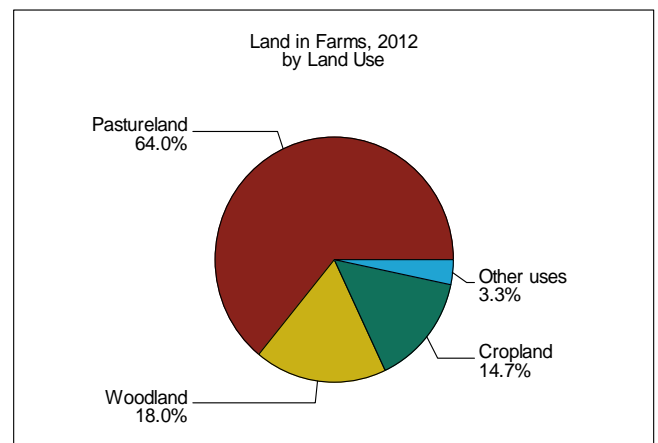
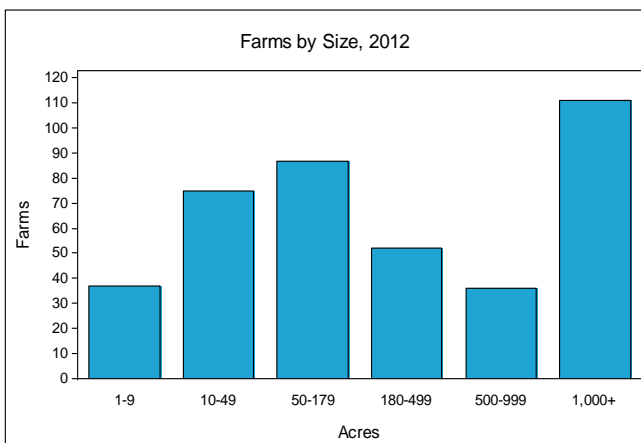


Grant County Oregon

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	398	398	0
Land in Farms	656,410 acres	761,541 acres	- 14
Average Size of Farm	1,649 acres	1,913 acres	- 14
Market Value of Products Sold	\$25,360,000	\$18,342,000	+ 38
Crop Sales \$5,661,000 (22 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$19,699,000 (78 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$63,718	\$46,085	+ 38
Government Payments	\$900,000	\$284,000	+ 217
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,252	\$7,481	+ 104





Grant County – Oregon

Ranked items among the 36 state counties 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	25,360	30	36	2,239	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,661	32	36	2,367	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	19,699	21	36	1,630	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3	34	35	2,716	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	21	34	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	20	31	32	2,426	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	32	15	29	598	1,530
Other crops and hay	4,736	21	36	615	3,049
Poultry and eggs	16	32	36	2,183	3,013
Cattle and calves	19,482	12	36	820	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	32	32	2,035	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	32	34	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	78	29	36	1,577	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	90	29	36	1,915	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	27	30	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	13	29	35	2,109	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	32,133	10	36	544	3,057
Barley for grain	(D)	12	30	396	1,158
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	28	29	(D)	2,537
Field and grass seed crops, all	(D)	18	24	(D)	583
Winter wheat for grain	(D)	27	28	(D)	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	34,314	13	36	834	3,063
Layers	1,168	27	36	1,741	3,040
Horses and ponies	1,102	24	36	1,075	3,072
Sheep and lambs	650	29	36	1,227	2,897
Pheasants	(D)	7	21	(D)	963

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	84	Farming	216
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25	Other	182
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	54	Male	335
\$10,000 to \$19,999	53	Female	63
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	32	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	28	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	35	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	10	White	637
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	26,242	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	65,934	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	19
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,684		
Average per farm (\$)	4,232		

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.