

# Agriculture Works for Arkansas

## Lincoln County - 2015

### Quick Facts from the Division of Agriculture

Approximate Land Area	359,399 acres
Average Size of Farms	530 acres
Number of Farms	377
Land in Farms	199,749 acres
Cropland Harvested	151,197 acres
Market Value Ag Products	\$219.5 Million
Timber <sup>1</sup>	149,400 acres

Source: 2012 Census of Agriculture

2. 2010 Southern Forest Inventory and Analysis, Forest Service, USDA

### Major Crops, livestock & Timber

Crops	Acreage	Production	Units
Cotton	14,129	34,866	Ba
Rice	19,248	1,420,438	Cwt
Sorghum	2,962	247,108	Bu
Soybeans	76,573	3,834,758	Bu
Wheat	8,092	448,059	Bu
Livestock	Inventory	No. Sold	
Broilers	5,255,536	26,968,650	
Calves & Cattle	8,826	3,569	
Layers	121,193	143,419	

Source: 2012 Census of Agriculture

### Timber Total<sup>2</sup>

Timber Output 7,477,000 CF

1. U.S. Forest Service, Forest Inventory and Analysis, 2009

## Agricultural Employment

## Jobs

Farm, Forestry & Fish Production.....	1,360
Agricultural Services.....	92
Processing of Agriculture, Forestry & Fish Products.....	260
<b>Agriculture – Direct (Total).....</b>	<b>1,712</b>
All Industries (Total).....	5,068

Source: Computed from the Arkansas 2012 IMPLAN Database, Minnesota IMPLAN Group, Inc.

## Agricultural Value Added

## In millions of dollars

Farm, Forestry & Fish Production..... \$	50.9
Agricultural Services.....	3.0
Processing of Agriculture, Forestry & Fish Products.....	14.2
<b>Agriculture – Direct (Total).....</b>	<b>68.1</b>
All industries (Total).....	305.7

Source: Computed from the Arkansas 2012 IMPLAN Database, Minnesota IMPLAN Group, Inc.

## Farm Revenue

## In millions of dollars

All crops..... \$	85,537
All livestock.....	133,488
Other farm income.....	16,402
<b>Total farm revenue.....</b>	<b>235,427</b>

Source: Information from 2013 REIS database, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

## Agriculture in Arkansas

Agriculture is a vital and growing component of the state's economy. Facts include:

- Nearly 281,000 Arkansas workers, or 17 percent of the state's jobs, were employed as a result of agricultural production and processing.
- These workers received \$11.5 billion in wages and salaries -- about 17 percent of the state's total employee income.
- The total value added as a result of agricultural production and processing in the state was approximately \$20.1 billion, or roughly 18 percent of all the value added in the state.
- Arkansas ranks No. 1 in the U.S. in rice production and No. 2 in broilers.

Source: Economic Contribution of Arkansas Agriculture 2014, University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture.

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