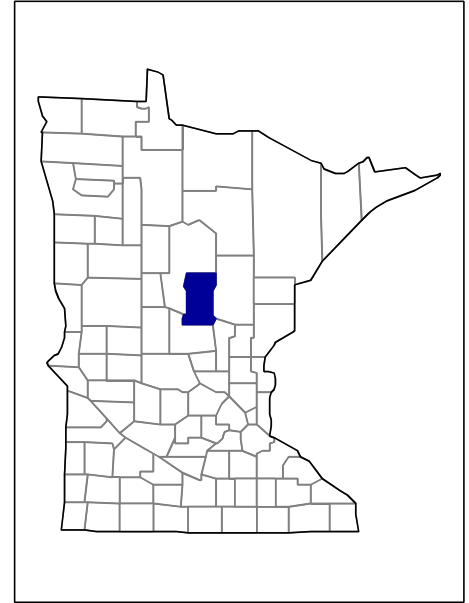




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Number of farms

755 farms in 2002, 681 farms in 1997, up 11 percent.

Land in farms

144,743 acres in 2002, 145,737 acres in 1997, down 1 percent.

Average size of farm

192 acres in 2002, 214 acres in 1997, down 10 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$13,727,000 in 2002, \$14,377,000 in 1997, down 5 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$5,005,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$8,722,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

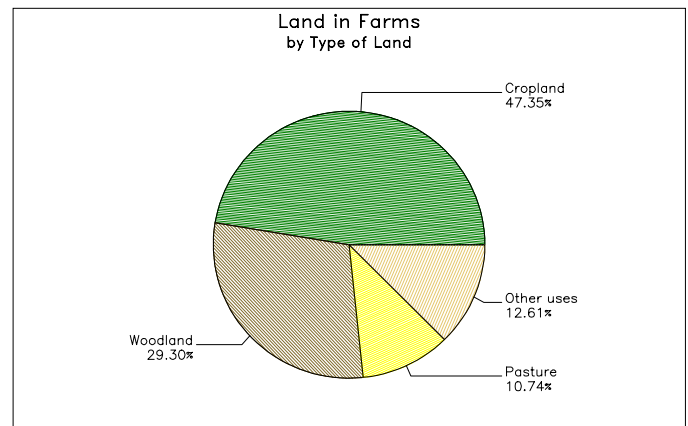
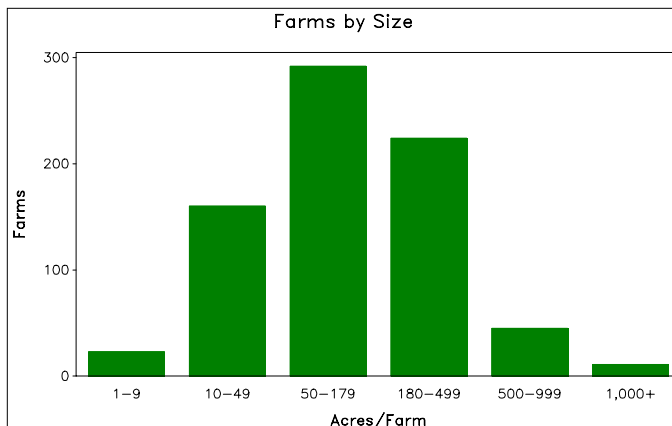
\$18,181 in 2002, \$21,111 in 1997, down 14 percent.

Government Payments

\$339,000 in 2002, \$431,000 in 1997, down 21 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$2,976 in 2002, \$2,340 in 1997, up 27 percent.



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Ranked items among the 87 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	13,727	78	87	2,326	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,005	78	87	2,073	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,722	67	87	1,980	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,066	80	85	1,756	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	141	63	86	1,538	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	85	28	83	1,347	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,885	22	81	824	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	444	5	62	124	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,383	53	87	945	3,046
Poultry and eggs	2,684	40	87	762	2,918
Cattle and calves	2,980	68	86	1,913	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,135	65	84	990	2,493
Hogs and pigs	500	66	87	1,041	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	69	52	85	1,050	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	163	31	85	1,311	3,014
Aquaculture	76	25	46	630	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	116	43	85	802	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	6	84	(D)	2,599
Turkeys	(D)	39	82	(D)	2,328
Cattle and calves	11,839	64	87	1,918	3,059
Hogs and pigs	3,535	64	86	976	2,926
Horses and ponies	2,054	13	87	459	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	33,602	23	87	630	3,059
Corn for grain	6,002	70	84	1,206	2,592
Oats	1,933	37	86	255	2,215
Corn for silage	1,902	57	84	779	2,307
Soybeans	(D)	77	84	(D)	2,076

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	314
\$1,000 to \$2,499	92
\$2,500 to \$4,999	75
\$5,000 to \$9,999	85
\$10,000 to \$19,999	61
\$20,000 to \$24,999	24
\$25,000 to \$39,999	42
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24
\$100,000 to \$249,999	18
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8
\$500,000 or more	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	13,951
Average per farm (\$)	18,453
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,752
Average per farm (\$)	3,640

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	378
Other	377
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	660
Female	95
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.0
All operators ² by race:	
White	1,059
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	6
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	3

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.