

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Kanabec, Minnesota

Number of farms

796 farms in 2002, 716 farms in 1997, up 11 percent.

Land in farms

158,736 acres in 2002, 152,157 acres in 1997, up 4 percent.

Average size of farm

199 acres in 2002, 213 acres in 1997, down 7 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$18,994,000 in 2002, \$17,403,000 in 1997, up 9 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$6,295,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$12,699,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

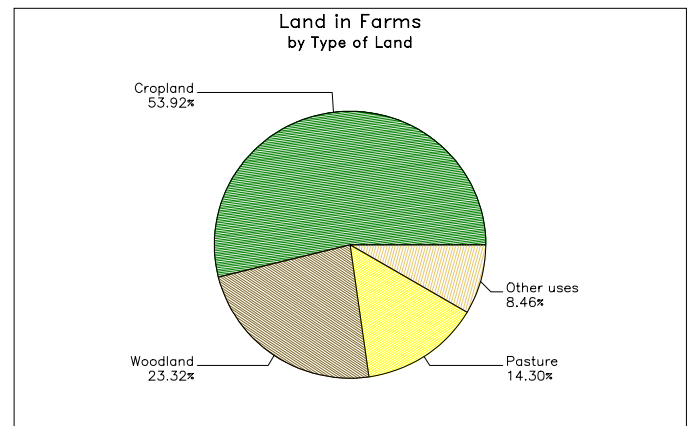
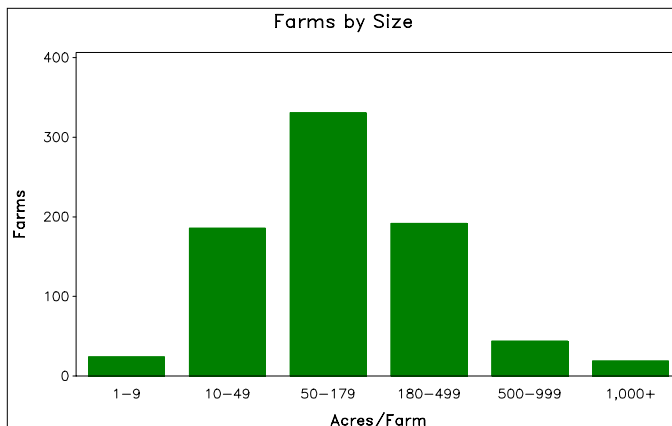
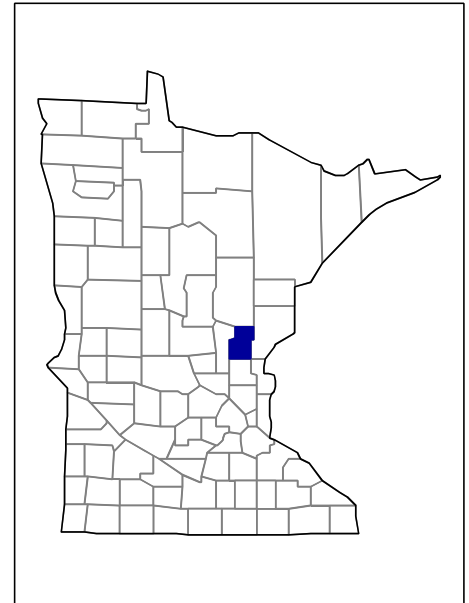
\$23,862 in 2002, \$24,305 in 1997, down 2 percent.

Government Payments

\$922,000 in 2002, \$473,000 in 1997, up 95 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$5,361 in 2002, \$2,465 in 1997, up 117 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	18,994	75	87	2,134	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,295	76	87	1,954	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,699	60	87	1,675	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4,531	72	85	1,274	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	22	75	86	2,314	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	35	41	83	1,731	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	273	47	81	1,685	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	8	43	62	1,227	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,425	52	87	910	3,046
Poultry and eggs	24	67	87	1,664	2,918
Cattle and calves	5,451	54	86	1,454	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	5,876	36	84	551	2,493
Hogs and pigs	917	58	87	900	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	74	48	85	992	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	244	21	85	927	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	46	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	114	44	85	807	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	23,019	40	87	1,308	3,059
Hogs and pigs	5,362	58	86	881	2,926
Pheasants	(D)	9	65	(D)	1,541
Horses and ponies	1,641	18	87	659	3,065
Sheep and lambs	1,449	44	85	731	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	36,179	19	87	569	3,059
Corn for grain	14,823	64	84	899	2,592
Soybeans	10,562	70	84	1,022	2,076
Corn for silage	4,146	30	84	435	2,307
All Wheat for grain	2,068	40	82	1,287	2,517

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	268	Farming	397
\$1,000 to \$2,499	115	Other	399
\$2,500 to \$4,999	95	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	86	Male	745
\$10,000 to \$19,999	82	Female	51
\$20,000 to \$24,999	17	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	29	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	White	1,155
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35	Black or African American	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	38	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,600	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	20,725	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,391		
Average per farm (\$)	2,985		

(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.