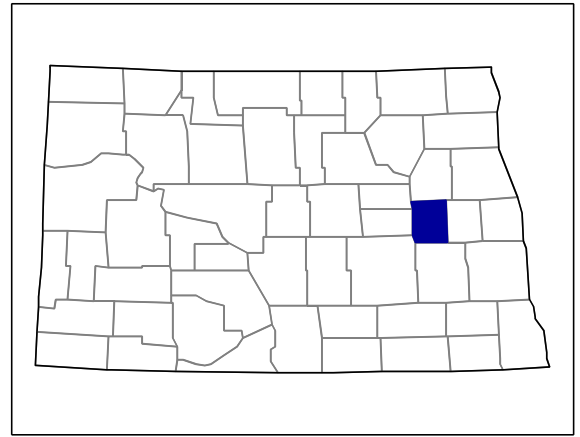




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Number of farms

423 farms in 2002, 381 farms in 1997, up 11 percent.

Land in farms

379,022 acres in 2002, 395,382 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

Average size of farm

896 acres in 2002, 1,038 acres in 1997, down 14 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$29,735,000 in 2002, \$28,737,000 in 1997, up 3 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$24,827,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$4,909,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

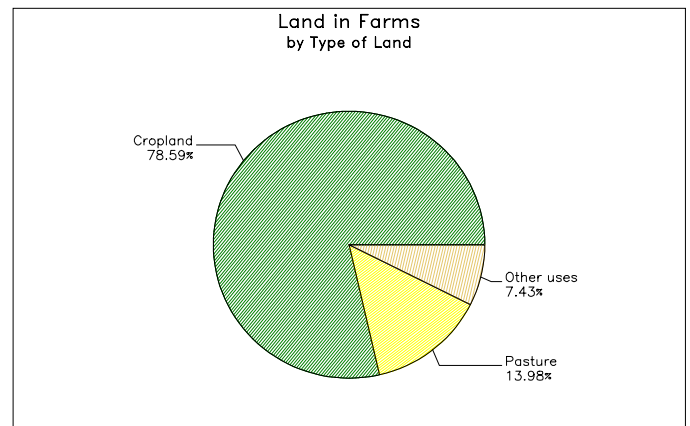
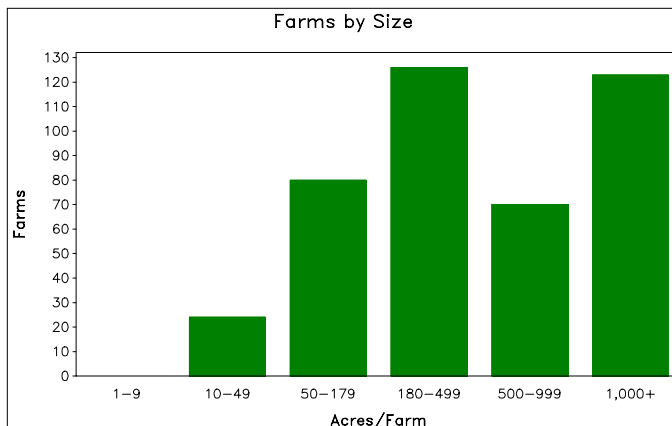
\$70,296 in 2002, \$75,426 in 1997, down 7 percent.

Government Payments

\$4,542,000 in 2002, \$3,775,000 in 1997, up 20 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$12,829 in 2002, \$12,584 in 1997, up 2 percent.



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Ranked items among the 53 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	29,735	43	53	1,709	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	24,827	33	53	1,008	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,909	45	53	2,356	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	24,270	32	53	586	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	19	-	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	27	-	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	10	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	48	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	4,650	43	53	1,580	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	166	37	45	2,022	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	51	31	53	1,249	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	4	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	17,679	41	53	1,574	3,059
Horses and ponies	609	25	53	1,924	3,065
Sheep and lambs	383	47	53	1,618	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	208	27	50	2,455	2,983
Hogs and pigs	(D)	38	51	(D)	2,926
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
All Wheat for grain	74,447	41	53	182	2,517
Soybeans	39,863	16	47	626	2,076
Sunflower seed	24,810	20	53	24	746
Barley	24,498	21	53	44	1,246
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	20,799	42	53	1,065	3,059

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	201
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	40
\$100,000 to \$249,999	49
\$250,000 to \$499,999	28
\$500,000 or more	9
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	25,664
Average per farm (\$)	61,398
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	14,094
Average per farm (\$)	33,717

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	256
Other	167
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	375
Female	48
Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
All operators ² by race:	
White	554
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	7

(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.