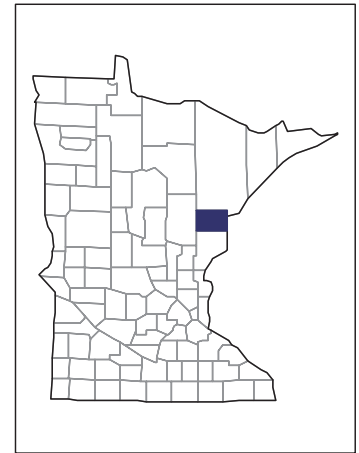


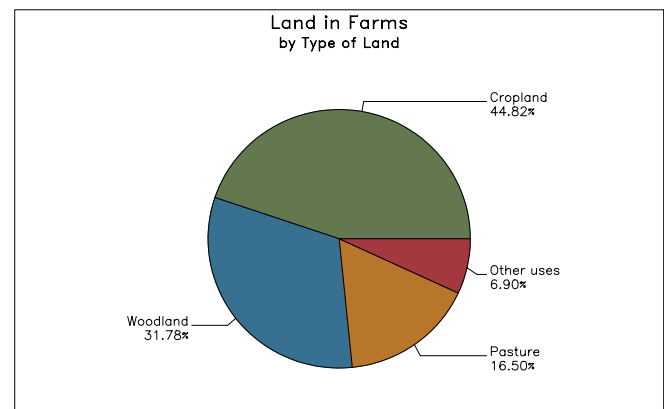
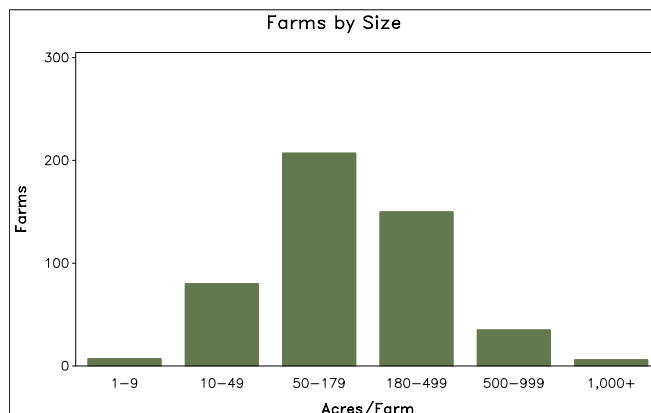
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Carlton County Minnesota



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	485	607	- 20
Land in Farms	97,897 acres	114,291 acres	- 14
Average Size of Farm	202 acres	188 acres	+ 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$8,040,000	\$8,096,000	- 1
Crop Sales \$2,252,000 (28 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$5,788,000 (72 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$16,578	\$13,337	+ 24
Government Payments	\$123,000	\$166,000	- 26
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,951	\$4,250	- 54



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Carlton County – Minnesota

Ranked items among the 87 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	8,040	81	87	2,688	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,252	83	87	2,547	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,788	77	87	2,370	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	84	86	(D)	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	216	60	84	1,471	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	39	82	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	479	42	79	1,448	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,301	45	86	1,265	3,054
Poultry and eggs	70	65	87	1,541	3,020
Cattle and calves	2,295	77	87	2,211	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3,255	61	84	893	2,493
Hogs and pigs	71	74	86	1,479	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	39	70	85	1,835	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	42	44	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	32,063	17	87	637	3,060
Corn for silage	1,232	64	84	889	2,263
Corn for grain	688	78	85	1,970	2,634
Oats for grain	380	70	86	776	1,957
Cut Christmas trees	265	15	55	241	1,756
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Pheasants	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	1,544
Cattle and calves	8,479	70	87	2,134	3,060
Horses and ponies	837	45	86	1,616	3,066
Layers	773	60	86	1,851	3,024
Sheep and lambs	529	65	86	1,406	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	144	Farming	198
\$1,000 to \$2,499	58	Other	287
\$2,500 to \$4,999	73	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	75	Male	409
\$10,000 to \$19,999	56	Female	76
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	19	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	White	733
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	8,264	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	17,038	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	160		
Average per farm (\$)	330		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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.