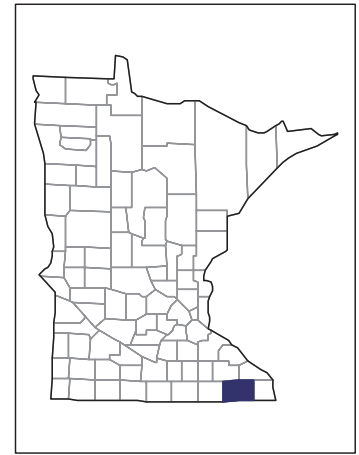


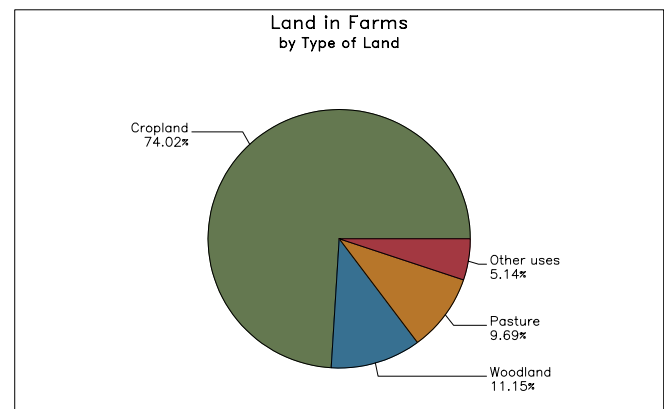
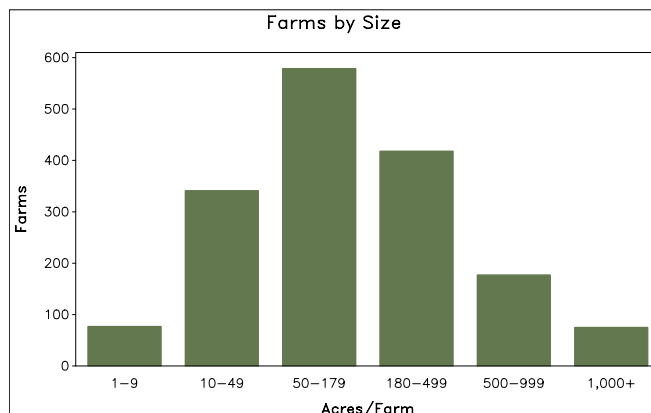
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Fillmore County Minnesota



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,667	1,600	+ 4
Land in Farms	446,331 acres	441,153 acres	+ 1
Average Size of Farm	268 acres	276 acres	- 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$223,107,000	\$142,753,000	+ 56
Crop Sales \$106,450,000 (48 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$116,658,000 (52 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$133,838	\$89,221	+ 50
Government Payments	\$9,213,000	\$6,684,000	+ 38
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,659	\$7,535	+ 2



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Fillmore 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	223,107	24	87	273	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	106,450	30	87	336	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	116,658	21	87	307	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	101,355	26	86	202	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,232	41	84	740	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	590	8	82	660	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	515	41	79	1,406	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	8	38	52	1,145	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,750	24	86	622	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	28,987	12	87	439	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	36,846	10	84	198	2,493
Hogs and pigs	40,009	21	86	111	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	6	85	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	445	5	85	544	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	12	44	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	646	19	84	313	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	160,942	20	85	118	2,634
Soybeans for beans	80,690	39	84	287	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	40,084	12	87	452	3,060
Corn for silage	7,924	9	84	178	2,263
Oats for grain	5,156	8	86	48	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Turkeys	(D)	19	81	(D)	2,371
Hogs and pigs	149,419	22	86	117	2,958
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	95,962	8	82	565	2,476
Cattle and calves	64,801	9	87	351	3,060
Layers	7,731	20	86	734	3,024

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	487	Farming	834
\$1,000 to \$2,499	62	Other	833
\$2,500 to \$4,999	96	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	91	Male	1,532
\$10,000 to \$19,999	115	Female	135
\$20,000 to \$24,999	37	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	102	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	56	American Indian or Alaska Native	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	163	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	234	Black or African American	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999	124	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	100	White	2,483
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	175,947	More than one race	15
Average per farm (\$)	105,547	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	19
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	70,885		
Average per farm (\$)	42,523		

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.