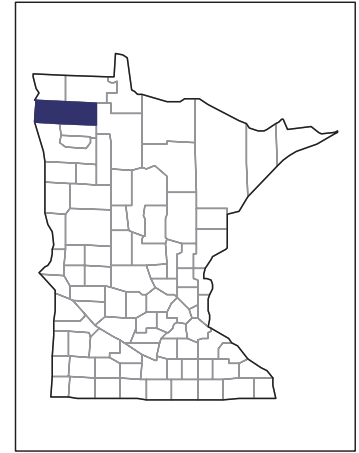


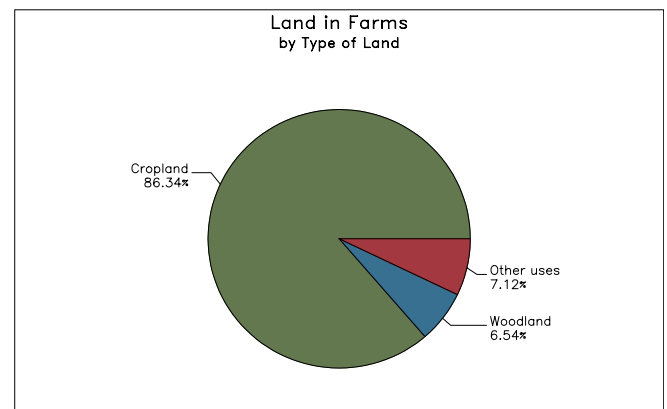
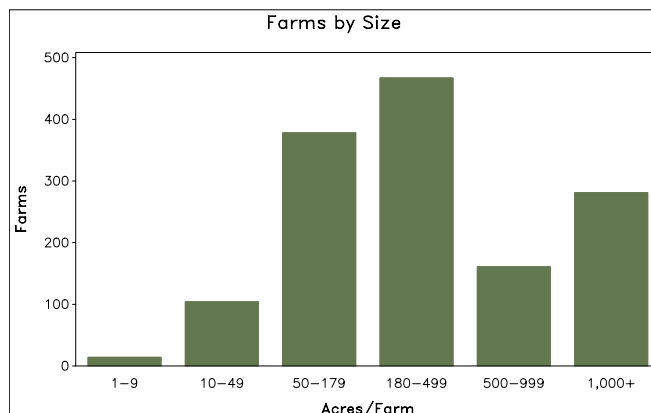
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## County Profile

### Marshall County Minnesota



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,405	1,409	0
<b>Land in Farms</b>	910,687 acres	934,932 acres	- 3
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	648 acres	664 acres	- 2
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$189,849,000	\$107,460,000	+ 77
Crop Sales \$179,979,000 (95 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$9,870,000 (5 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$135,124	\$76,267	+ 77
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$17,581,000	\$15,538,000	+ 13
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$14,340	\$13,630	+ 5



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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	189,849	30	87	357	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	179,979	6	87	103	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	9,870	69	87	2,056	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	128,644	15	86	120	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,653	26	84	399	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	26	51	82	1,940	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	892	33	79	1,135	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	52	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	46,764	4	86	34	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	56	87	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	3,570	68	87	1,940	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	4,995	47	84	730	2,493
Hogs and pigs	14	80	86	2,128	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	20	79	85	2,296	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	31	63	85	2,458	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	44	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	226,178	2	83	26	2,481
Soybeans for beans	163,722	5	84	26	2,039
Sugarbeets for sugar	48,628	4	31	6	130
Barley for grain	32,226	1	75	31	1,154
Sunflower seed, all	31,394	1	36	12	620
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	11,668	61	87	1,884	3,060
Colonies of bees	7,674	4	74	89	2,640
Ducks	1,109	3	84	100	2,733
Horses and ponies	852	41	86	1,592	3,066
Geese	713	3	81	18	2,531

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	733	Farming	588
\$1,000 to \$2,499	38	Other	817
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	54	Male	1,257
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13	Female	148
\$25,000 to \$39,999	52		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	19	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	66		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	126	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	91	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$500,000 or more	126	Asian	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	134,210	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	95,523	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	1,931
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	82,062	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	58,407	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.