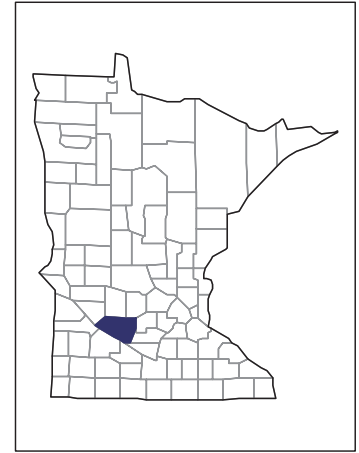


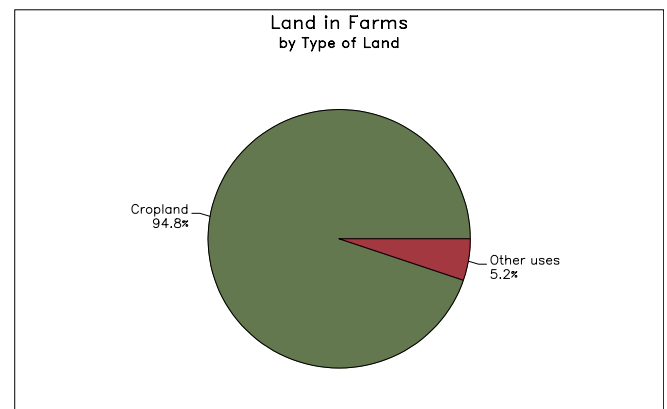
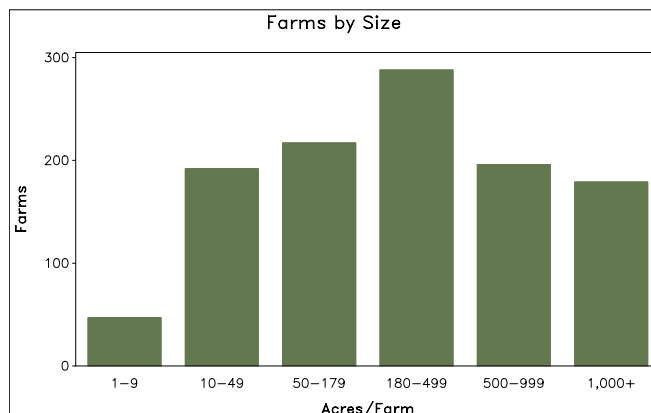
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Renville County Minnesota



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,119	1,164	- 4
Land in Farms	619,734 acres	664,056 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	554 acres	570 acres	- 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$420,502,000	\$317,013,000	+ 33
Crop Sales \$266,288,000 (63 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$154,214,000 (37 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$375,784	\$272,348	+ 38
Government Payments	\$9,440,000	\$7,214,000	+ 31
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,896	\$9,543	+ 4



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County Profile

Renville 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	420,502	2	87	80	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	266,288	2	87	52	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	154,214	11	87	197	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	200,624	1	86	15	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	22,255	3	84	102	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	73	82	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	63	79	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	52	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	43,316	6	86	39	3,054
Poultry and eggs	41,740	8	87	253	3,020
Cattle and calves	21,875	21	87	616	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	8,897	38	84	517	2,493
Hogs and pigs	78,387	9	86	44	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	3	85	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	100	34	85	1,690	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	1	44	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	82	84	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	285,045	1	85	12	2,634
Soybeans for beans	178,605	3	84	21	2,039
Sugarbeets for sugar	41,771	6	31	10	130
Vegetables harvested for sale	40,479	1	85	18	2,794
Sweet corn	25,986	1	77	2	2,384
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers	(D)	2	86	(D)	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	5	73	(D)	2,627
Hogs and pigs	261,807	10	86	55	2,958
Turkeys	258,222	18	81	104	2,371
Cattle and calves	25,074	35	87	1,210	3,060

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	232	Farming	680
\$1,000 to \$2,499	20	Other	439
\$2,500 to \$4,999	24	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28	Male	1,036
\$10,000 to \$19,999	35	Female	83
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	32	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	123	Asian	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	222	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	158	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	208	White	1,531
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	313,958	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	280,570	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	132,402		
Average per farm (\$)	118,322		

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.