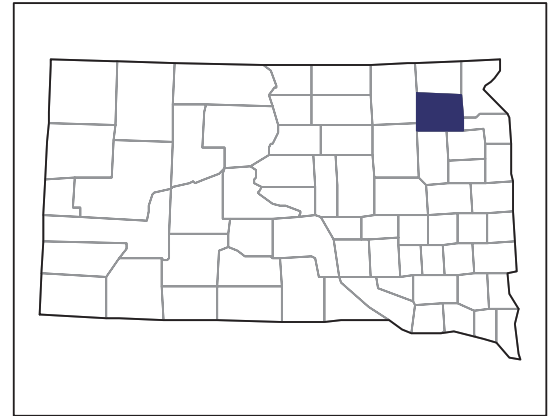


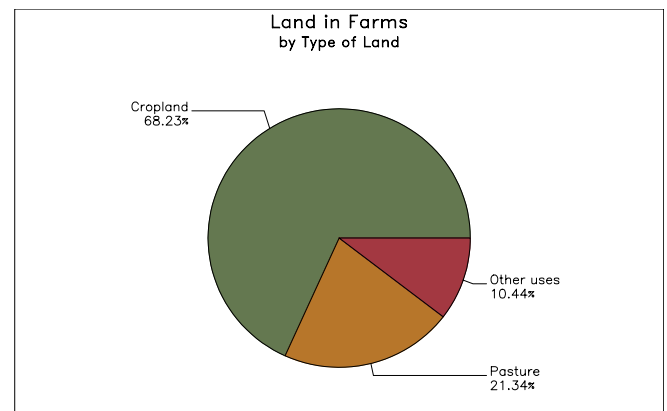
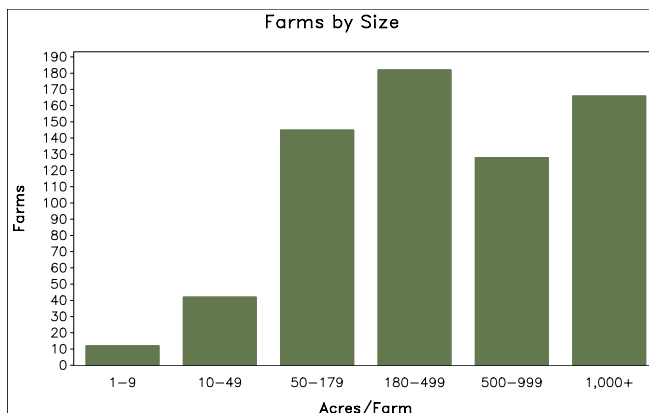
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile

### Day County South Dakota



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	675	704	- 4
<b>Land in Farms</b>	567,218 acres	530,990 acres	+ 7
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	840 acres	754 acres	+ 11
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$97,814,000	\$56,752,000	+ 72
Crop Sales \$69,118,000 (71 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$28,696,000 (29 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$144,910	\$80,613	+ 80
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$8,133,000	\$6,415,000	+ 27
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$14,318	\$11,558	+ 24



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#### Ranked items among the 66 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	97,814	32	66	910	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	69,118	21	66	622	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	28,696	49	66	1,223	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	68,246	21	66	424	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	32	-	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	17	-	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	34	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	11	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	873	52	66	1,674	3,054
Poultry and eggs	5	57	65	2,731	3,020
Cattle and calves	19,085	52	66	715	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	8,415	12	54	535	2,493
Hogs and pigs	167	45	60	1,253	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	51	65	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	32	52	66	2,435	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	2	9	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	99,194	13	55	173	2,039
Corn for grain	76,714	27	65	423	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	67,850	20	66	240	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	31,051	43	66	658	3,060
Corn for silage	4,733	37	65	325	2,263
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	46,488	41	66	645	3,060
Colonies of bees	(D)	(D)	49	(D)	2,640
Hogs and pigs	1,581	46	62	1,114	2,958
Goats, all	(D)	1	65	(D)	3,023
Sheep and lambs	732	53	63	1,151	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	234	Farming	393
\$1,000 to \$2,499	16	Other	282
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	39	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	39	Male	602
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Female	73
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	55		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	107	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	54	American Indian or Alaska Native	8
\$500,000 or more	55	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	74,009	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	109,643	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	948
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	37,614	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	55,725	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2

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.