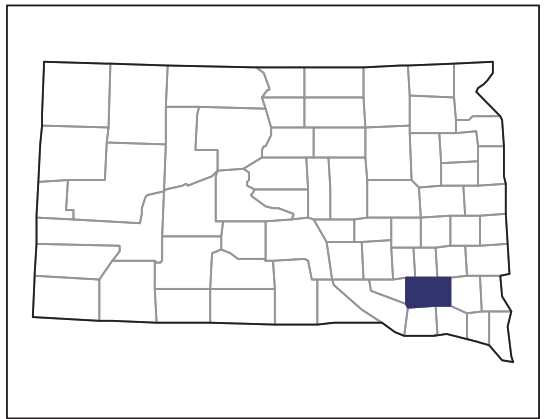


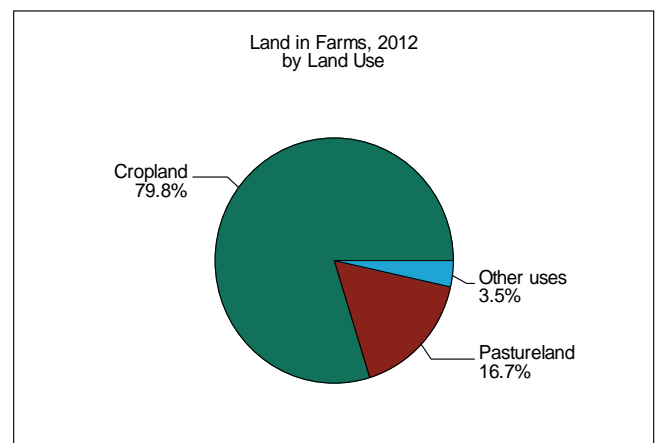
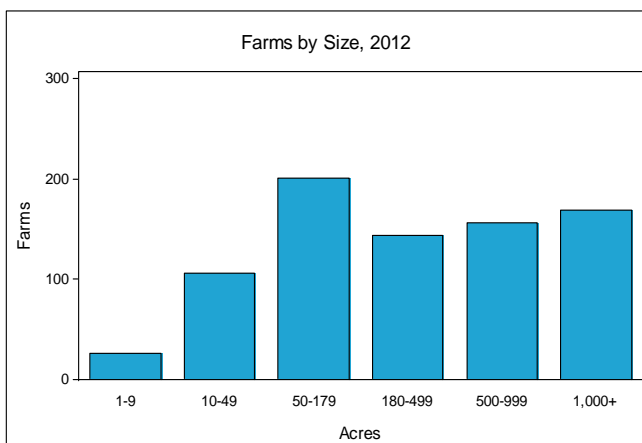
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Hutchinson County South Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	802	723	+ 11
<b>Land in Farms</b>	513,352 acres	509,775 acres	+ 1
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	640 acres	705 acres	- 9
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$186,245,000	\$192,352,000	- 3
Crop Sales \$71,342,000 (38 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$114,903,000 (62 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$232,226	\$266,048	- 13
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$7,192,000	\$5,499,000	+ 31
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$10,530	\$8,798	+ 20





## Hutchinson County – South Dakota

### Ranked items among the 66 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	186,245	20	66	607	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	71,342	35	66	892	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	114,903	5	66	379	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	69,236	35	66	662	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	125	4	41	1,743	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	11	31	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	22	37	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	7	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,835	52	66	1,412	3,049
Poultry and eggs	18,352	2	65	467	3,013
Cattle and calves	40,003	33	66	377	3,056
Milk from cows	9,407	11	46	518	2,038
Hogs and pigs	45,867	1	59	129	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	681	19	64	245	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	579	12	66	472	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	10	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	15	56	61	2,033	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	166,211	5	59	41	2,162
Corn for grain	138,195	11	66	170	2,638
Corn for silage	39,119	1	66	16	2,237
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	25,932	41	66	734	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	6,915	52	66	846	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	305,660	2	38	87	2,416
Hogs and pigs	127,676	1	62	138	2,889
Cattle and calves	67,601	21	66	295	3,063
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	1	50	(D)	2,723
Sheep and lambs	5,787	11	65	156	2,897

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	138	Farming	484
\$1,000 to \$2,499	18	Other	318
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51	Male	762
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	Female	40
\$20,000 to \$24,999	26	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	39	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	106	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	154	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	83	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	71	White	1,163
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	210,096	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	261,966	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	49,033		
Average per farm (\$)	61,138		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<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.