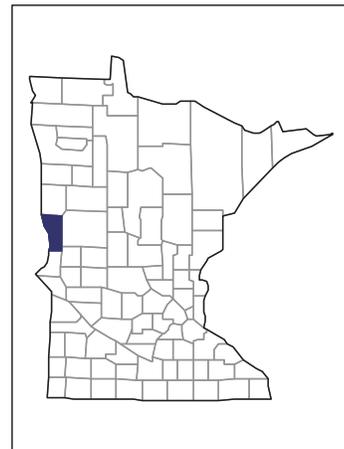


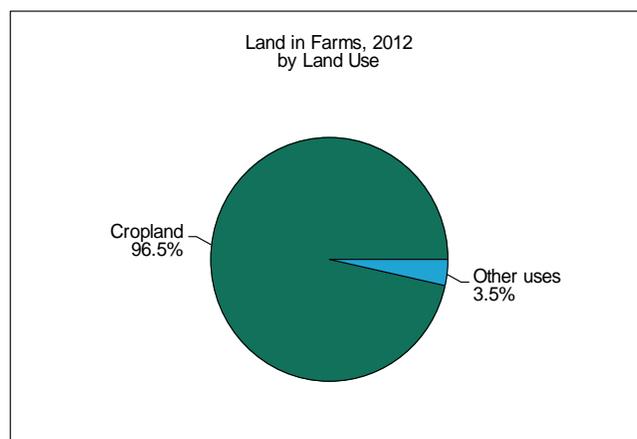
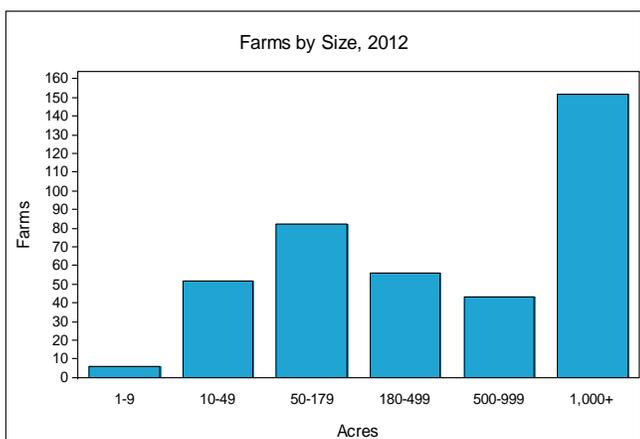
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Wilkin County Minnesota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	391	428	- 9
Land in Farms	444,320 acres	424,976 acres	+ 5
Average Size of Farm	1,136 acres	993 acres	+ 14
Market Value of Products Sold	\$303,949,000	\$130,501,000	+ 133
Crop Sales \$300,780,000 (99 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$3,169,000 (1 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$777,364	\$304,910	+ 155
Government Payments	\$7,125,000	\$5,541,000	+ 29
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$21,018	\$14,659	+ 43





Wilkin County – Minnesota

Ranked items among the 87 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	303,949	32	87	272	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	300,780	10	87	84	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,169	83	87	2,643	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	221,739	26	85	113	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	82	87	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	81	81	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	79	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	50	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	3	87	24	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	75	87	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	803	83	86	2,672	3,056
Milk from cows	2,320	66	83	982	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	85	86	2,814	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	80	87	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	21	73	85	2,646	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	43	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	86	86	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	161,466	10	85	46	2,162
Corn for grain	108,247	41	85	257	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	85,612	6	85	176	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	(D)	6	85	52	633
Sugarbeets for sugar	50,178	2	32	4	136
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	3,102	82	87	2,601	3,063
Layers	632	63	86	2,207	3,040
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	554	43	85	1,184	2,723
Horses and ponies	153	79	87	2,856	3,072
Sheep and lambs	(D)	81	86	(D)	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	86	Farming	267
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5	Other	124
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13	Male	364
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Female	27
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	32	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	38	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	155	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	203,505	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	520,474	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	548
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	116,642	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	298,318	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2

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.

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.