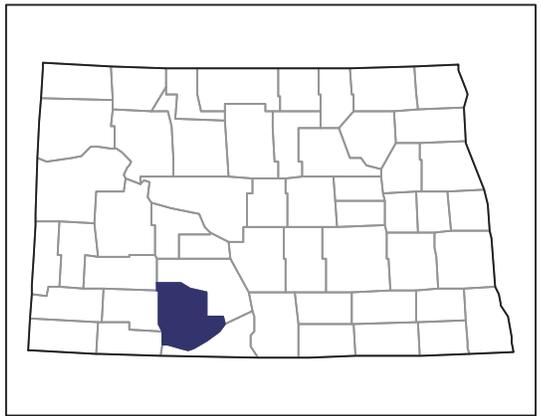


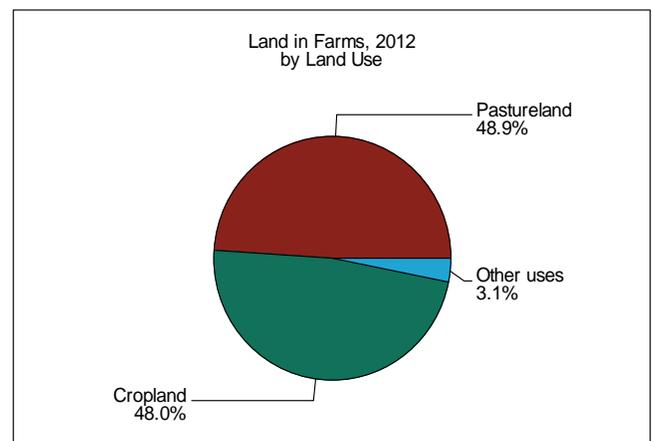
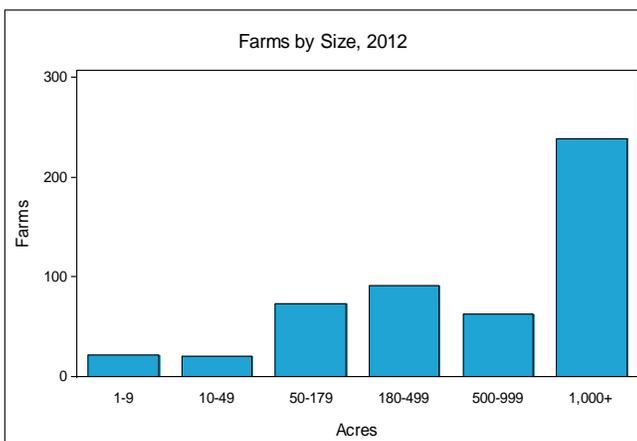
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Grant County North Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	508	528	- 4
Land in Farms	1,049,893 acres	1,058,178 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	2,067 acres	2,004 acres	+ 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$157,090,000	\$79,870,000	+ 97
Crop Sales \$110,368,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$46,722,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$309,231	\$151,270	+ 104
Government Payments	\$5,753,000	\$5,834,000	- 1
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,348	\$12,711	+ 5





Grant County – North Dakota

Ranked items among the 53 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	157,090	30	53	754	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	110,368	35	53	588	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	46,722	7	53	949	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	36	53	481	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	38	39	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	27	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	25	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	6	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	12	53	267	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	45,493	5	53	310	3,056
Milk from cows	158	30	35	1,773	2,038
Hogs and pigs	109	15	44	1,232	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	199	13	49	805	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	538	7	52	516	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	3	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	177,617	18	53	63	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	154,923	11	53	20	633
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	95,165	5	53	35	3,057
Corn for grain	55,586	19	53	576	2,638
Sunflower seed, all	49,929	4	53	6	565
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	77,021	4	53	206	3,063
Pheasants	(D)	1	9	78	963
Colonies of bees	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	2,761
Sheep and lambs	2,347	8	50	392	2,897
Horses and ponies	889	18	53	1,345	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	121	Farming	331
\$1,000 to \$2,499	9	Other	177
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	26	Male	478
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Female	30
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	49		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	89	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	48	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$500,000 or more	96	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	101,470	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	199,745	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	737
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	66,294	More than one race	9
Average per farm (\$)	130,499	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.