

2011 STATE AGRICULTURE OVERVIEW

Minnesota

Farms

Number of Farms	79,800
Land in Farms (acres)	26,850,000
Average Farm Size (acres)	336

Livestock Inventory

Cattle and Calves - All (Jan. 1, 2012)	2,360,000
Hogs & Pigs - All (Dec. 1, 2011)	7,800,000
Sheep (Jan. 1, 2012)	150,000

Milk

Milk Cows (Average head)	468,000
Milk Production per Cow (lbs)	18,996
Production (lbs)	8,890,000,000

Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price (MYA), Value of Production

Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Field & Misc Crops						12,245,163,000
Corn For Grain	8,100,000	7,700,000	156.0 bus	1,201,200,000 bus	5.850 dols/bu	7,027,020,000
Soybeans	7,100,000	7,020,000	38.5 bus	270,270,000 bus	11.500 dols/bu	3,108,105,000
Hay All (Dry)		1,830,000	3.0 tons	5,530,000 tons	116.000 dols/ton	638,800,000
Wheat All	1,580,000	1,526,000	46.2 bus	70,456,000 bus	8.050 dols/bu	565,788,000
Wheat Other Spring	1,550,000	1,500,000	46.0 bus	69,000,000 bus	8.050 dols/bu	555,450,000
Hay Alfalfa (Dry)		1,100,000	3.7 tons	4,070,000 tons	127.000 dols/ton	516,890,000
Potatoes Fall	49,000	47,000	355.0 cwt	16,685,000 cwt	9.100 dols/cwt	151,834,000
Potatoes All	49,000	47,000	355.0 cwt	16,685,000 cwt	9.100 dols/cwt	151,834,000
Hay Other (Dry)		730,000	2.0 tons	1,460,000 tons	83.500 dols/ton	121,910,000
Beans Dry Edible	140,000	135,000	1,690.0 lbs	2,281,000 cwt	38.700 dols/cwt	88,275,000
Oats	180,000	110,000	54.0 bus	5,940,000 bus	3.100 dols/bu	18,414,000
Barley All	70,000	60,000	51.0 bus	3,060,000 bus	5.150 dols/bu	15,759,000
Sunflower All	40,000	37,000	1,246.0 lbs	46,100,000 lbs	32.400 dols/cwt	14,955,000
Sunflower Seed For Oil	28,000	27,000	1,300.0 lbs	35,100,000 lbs	31.200 dols/cwt	10,951,000
Wheat Winter All	30,000	26,000	56.0 bus	1,456,000 bus	7.100 dols/bu	10,338,000
Canola	29,000	28,000	1,400.0 lbs	39,200,000 lbs	24.100 dols/cwt	9,447,000
Sunflower Seed Non-Oil Use	12,000	10,000	1,100.0 lbs	11,000,000 lbs	36.400 dols/cwt	4,004,000
Flaxseed	3,000	3,000	15.0 bus	45,000 bus	13.600 dols/bu	612,000
Principal Crops	19,597,000	19,312,000				

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Commodityss	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvestd Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Sugarbeets	479,000	469,000	19.0 tons	8,911,000 tons		
Alfalfa & Alfalfa Mixtures - New Seedings	180,000					
Beans Navy (Pea/Beans)	50,500	48,300	1,810.0 lbs	874,000 cwt		
Beans Dark Red Kidney	34,900	34,000	1,650.0 lbs	561,000 cwt		
Beans Black	20,700	19,900	1,600.0 lbs	318,000 cwt		
Beans Pinto	13,000	12,600	1,600.0 lbs	202,000 cwt		
Beans Light Red Kidney	11,100	11,000	1,600.0 lbs	176,000 cwt		
Beans Pink	4,300	4,300	1,750.0 lbs	75,000 cwt		
Beans Other Dry Edible	3,300	3,200	1,630.0 lbs	52,000 cwt		
Beans Small Red	2,200	1,700	1,350.0 lbs	23,000 cwt		
Forage All(Dry Hay+Haylage)		2,098,000	3.2 tons	6,630,000 tons		
Corn For Silage		350,000	18.0 tons	6,300,000 tons		
Forage Alfalfa(Dry Hay+Haylage)		1,340,000	3.8 tons	5,088,000 tons		

USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service. Data as of 05/14/2012

2007 Census of Agriculture State Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, Minnesota Agricultural Statistics Service
Minnesota - Ranked items within U.S. 2007

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	13,180,466	7	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	7,048,913	4	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,131,554	8	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,936,153	4	50
Tobacco			17
Cotton and cottonseed			17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	275,912	14	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	18,517	29	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	239,354	21	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	4,984	15	49
Other crops and hay	573,994	5	50
Poultry and eggs	1,045,674	10	50
Cattle and calves	1,385,740	10	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,475,929	6	50
Hogs and pigs	2,139,877	3	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	18,725	11	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	11,424	31	50
Aquaculture	12,492	22	50
Other animals and other animal products	41,692	5	50
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	7,801,001	4	49
Soybeans for beans	6,273,919	3	40
Wheat for grain, all	1,718,565	10	47
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greench	1,716,693	15	50
Sugarbeets for sugar	485,650	1	11
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Turkeys	18,298,316	1	50
Layers	10,596,573	11	50
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	8,649,569	21	50
Hogs and pigs	7,652,284	3	50
Pullets for laying flock replacement	3,178,990	12	50

Other Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	26,286	Farming	39,628
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4,392	Other	41,364
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4,451		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4,795	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,926	Male	73,631
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,751	Female	7,361
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3,819		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,918	Average age of principal operator (years)	55
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6,490		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9,479	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6,259	American Indian or Alaska Native	413
\$500,000 or more	6,426	Asian	255
		Black or African American	40
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	10,320,405	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	21
Average per farm (\$)	127,425	White	116,149
		More than one race	674
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,927,990		
Average per farm (\$)	48,498	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	507

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹ Universe is number of states in U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.