

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Kidder, North Dakota

Number of farms

584 farms in 2002, 531 farms in 1997, up 10 percent.

Land in farms

794,465 acres in 2002, 711,733 acres in 1997, up 12 percent.

Average size of farm

1,360 acres in 2002, 1,340 acres in 1997, up 1 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$44,427,000 in 2002, \$33,555,000 in 1997, up 32 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$19,606,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$24,822,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

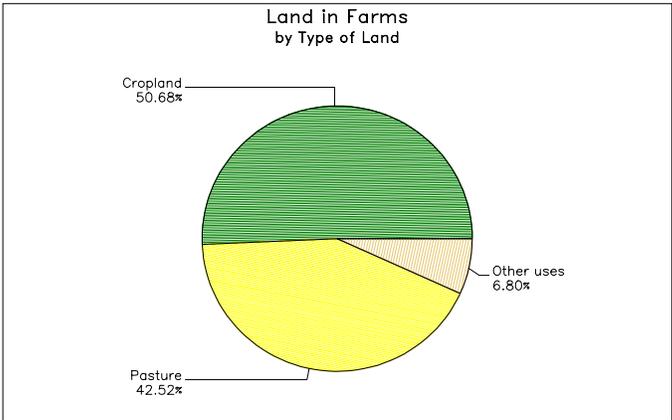
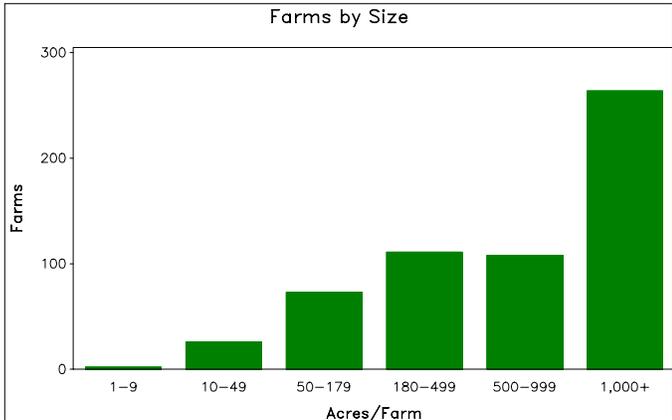
\$76,074 in 2002, \$63,192 in 1997, up 20 percent.

Government Payments

\$4,022,000 in 2002, \$4,939,000 in 1997, down 19 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$8,919 in 2002, \$11,649 in 1997, down 23 percent.



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Ranked items among the 53 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	44,427	31	53	1,305	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	19,606	38	53	1,185	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	24,822	10	53	1,114	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7,875	46	53	1,074	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	10,697	4	36	165	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	19	-	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	27	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	10	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	1	39	48	2,636	2,918
Cattle and calves	22,452	8	53	439	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,702	13	45	1,099	2,493
Hogs and pigs	13	42	51	2,202	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	324	7	53	275	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	65	33	53	2,176	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	4	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	265	28	52	477	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	74,737	5	53	266	3,059
Sheep and lambs	5,100	6	53	216	2,867
Colonies of bees	2,800	22	34	218	2,392
Horses and ponies	576	28	53	1,993	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	291	19	50	2,274	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	144,313	3	53	15	3,059
All Wheat for grain	37,698	51	53	307	2,517
Sunflower seed	11,352	29	53	40	746
Flaxseed	9,020	17	50	17	117
Corn for grain	8,917	18	53	1,093	2,592

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	197
\$1,000 to \$2,499	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	33
\$10,000 to \$19,999	41
\$20,000 to \$24,999	13
\$25,000 to \$39,999	37
\$40,000 to \$49,999	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	88
\$100,000 to \$249,999	95
\$250,000 to \$499,999	30
\$500,000 or more	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	38,984
Average per farm (\$)	66,412
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	15,699
Average per farm (\$)	26,744

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	418
Other	166
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	545
Female	39
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.8
All operators ² by race:	
White	782
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	3

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

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.