

# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Divide, North Dakota

### Number of farms

532 farms in 2002, 566 farms in 1997, down 6 percent.

### Land in farms

760,699 acres in 2002, 748,577 acres in 1997, up 2 percent.

### Average size of farm

1,430 acres in 2002, 1,323 acres in 1997, up 8 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$40,992,000 in 2002, \$36,090,000 in 1997, up 14 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$34,865,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$6,127,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

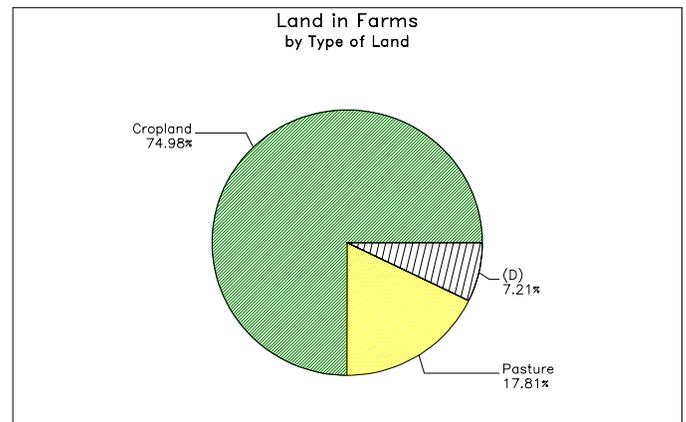
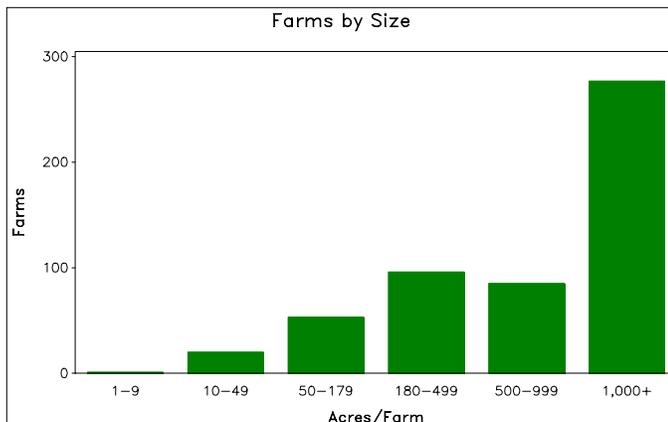
\$77,053 in 2002, \$63,763 in 1997, up 21 percent.

### Government Payments

\$5,481,000 in 2002, \$5,992,000 in 1997, down 9 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$11,491 in 2002, \$11,727 in 1997, down 2 percent.



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

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	40,992	35	53	1,406	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	34,865	26	53	749	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,127	43	53	2,217	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	34,010	25	53	419	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	36	-	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	-	-	48	-	2,918
Cattle and calves	5,287	41	53	1,471	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	45	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	4	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	19,638	39	53	1,476	3,059
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	51	(D)	2,926
Horses and ponies	367	42	53	2,447	3,065
Bison	(D)	27	51	(D)	1,321
Layers 20 weeks old and older	96	34	50	2,724	2,983
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
All Wheat for grain	268,551	6	53	18	2,517
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	43,615	28	53	415	3,059
Dry edible peas	37,777	1	43	2	215
Flaxseed	19,987	10	50	10	117
Canola	14,692	18	49	19	165

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	122	Farming	411
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	Other	121
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	36	Male	497
\$20,000 to \$24,999	25	Female	35
\$25,000 to \$39,999	53		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	29	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	86		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	129	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	26	White	725
\$500,000 or more	3	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	28,587	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	53,734	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	19,448	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	36,556	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	2

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

<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.