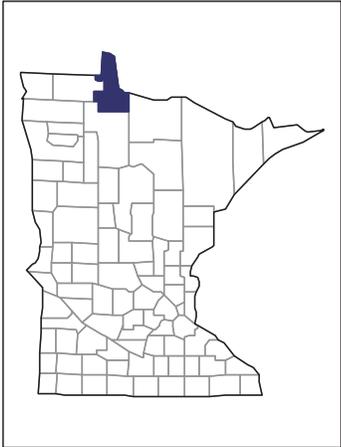


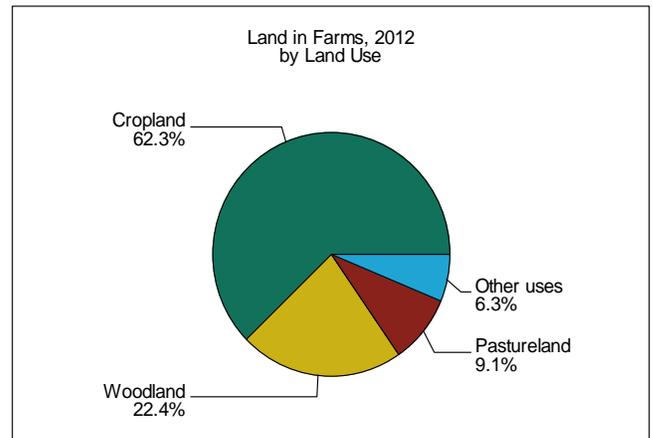
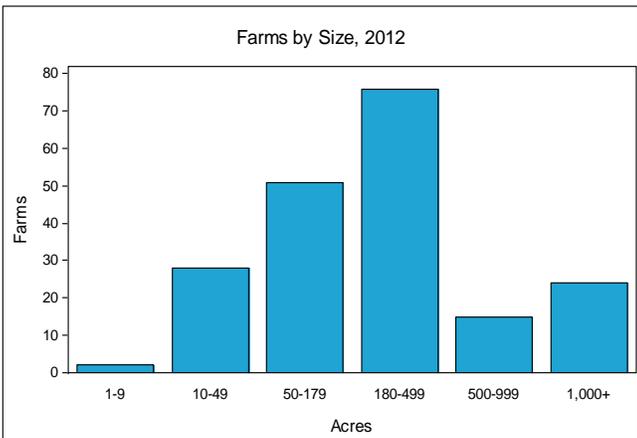
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Lake of the Woods County Minnesota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	196	225	- 13
Land in Farms	90,261 acres	96,932 acres	- 7
Average Size of Farm	461 acres	431 acres	+ 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$19,118,000	\$7,414,000	+ 158
Crop Sales \$17,656,000 (92 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,462,000 (8 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$97,541	\$32,951	+ 196
Government Payments	\$962,000	\$512,000	+ 88
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,517	\$4,126	+ 106





Lake of the Woods 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	19,118	79	87	2,400	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	17,656	76	87	1,781	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,462	84	87	2,821	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	15,296	75	85	1,341	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	78	79	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	8	29	50	1,019	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	54	87	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	16	74	87	2,160	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,350	82	86	2,520	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	83	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	85	86	2,814	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	86	87	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	75	85	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	43	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	78	59	86	1,226	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	17,138	69	85	976	2,162
Wheat for grain, all	11,171	18	85	643	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	(D)	17	85	156	633
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,457	46	87	1,680	3,057
Field and grass seed crops, all	3,727	2	22	29	583
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	(D)	83	87	2,677	3,063
Layers	630	64	86	2,212	3,040
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	609	40	85	1,144	2,723
Horses and ponies	252	70	87	2,649	3,072
Pullets for laying flock replacement	110	49	78	1,637	2,637

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	65	Farming	71
\$1,000 to \$2,499	12	Other	125
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	Male	183
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13	Female	13
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	23	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	13	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	11	White	274
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	12,196	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	62,227	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,549		
Average per farm (\$)	43,615		

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.