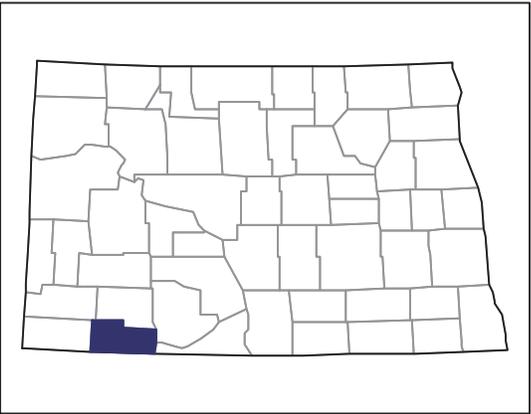


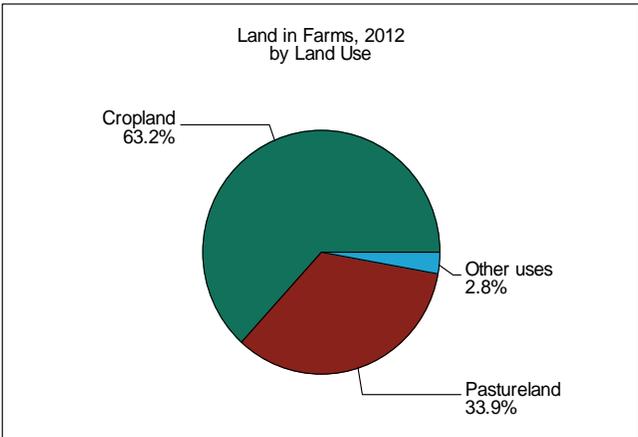
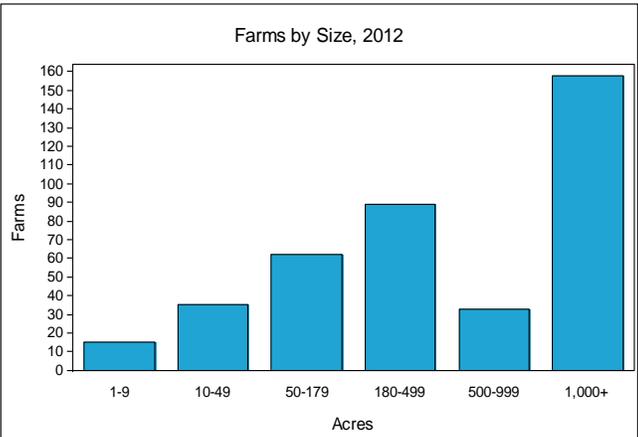
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Adams County North Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	392	426	- 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	601,272 acres	626,663 acres	- 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	1,534 acres	1,471 acres	+ 4
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$107,537,000	\$70,542,000	+ 52
Crop Sales \$83,073,000 (77 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$24,464,000 (23 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$274,329	\$165,590	+ 66
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,734,000	\$4,711,000	0
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$14,749	\$13,234	+ 11





## Adams County – North Dakota

### Ranked items among the 53 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	107,537	44	53	1,101	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	83,073	44	53	779	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	24,464	21	53	1,468	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	43	53	602	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	39	-	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)	31	53	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	12	21	53	2,307	3,013
Cattle and calves	21,242	19	53	765	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	35	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	44	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	49	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-	52	-	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	3	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	2,263	8	51	95	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	191,390	16	53	53	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	149,501	13	53	22	633
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	39,188	23	53	382	3,057
Durum wheat for grain	25,254	14	52	21	137
Corn for grain	22,543	33	53	921	2,638
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	27,501	26	53	1,037	3,063
Colonies of bees	16,438	7	44	38	2,761
Sheep and lambs	5,801	1	50	155	2,897
Layers	321	28	52	2,598	3,040
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	300	9	43	1,490	2,723

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	137	Farming	236
\$1,000 to \$2,499	16	Other	156
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	Male	342
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17	Female	50
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	10	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	38	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	44	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	62	White	578
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	72,585	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	185,165	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	46,239		
Average per farm (\$)	117,956		

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.

<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.