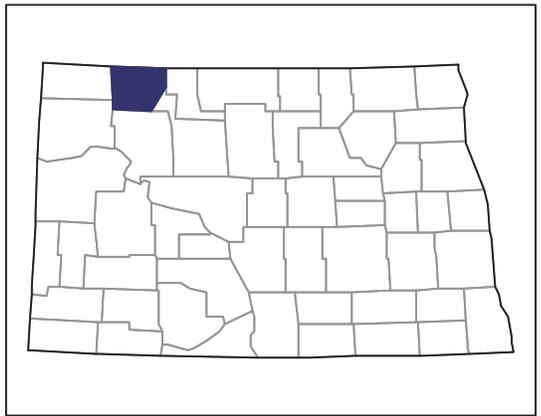


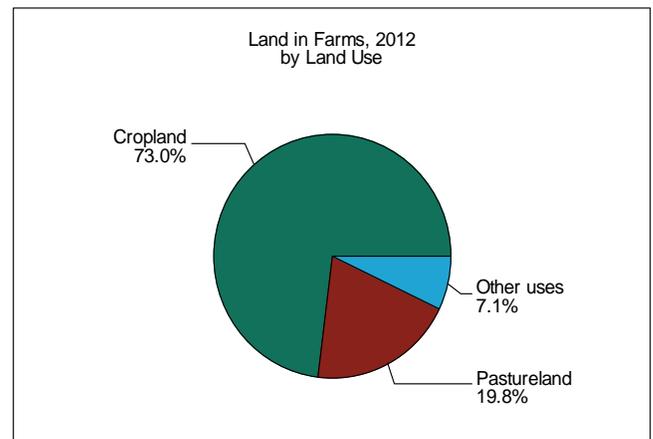
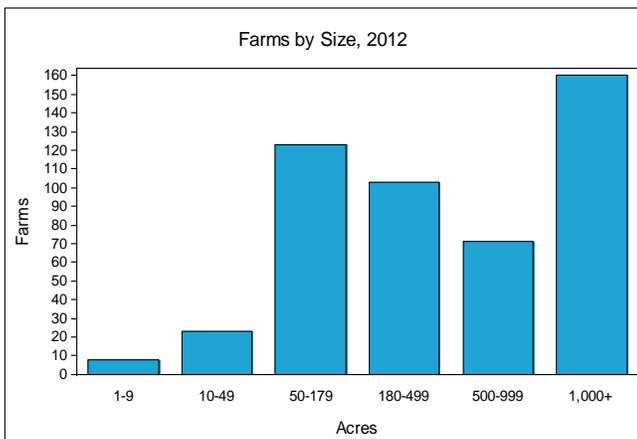
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Burke County North Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	488	463	+ 5
<b>Land in Farms</b>	595,094 acres	570,560 acres	+ 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	1,219 acres	1,232 acres	- 1
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$105,142,000	\$61,587,000	+ 71
Crop Sales \$96,392,000 (92 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$8,750,000 (8 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$215,455	\$133,017	+ 62
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$5,413,000	\$4,556,000	+ 19
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,765	\$10,953	+ 17





## Burke 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	105,142	45	53	1,122	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	96,392	40	53	673	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	8,750	45	53	2,192	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	91,963	38	53	521	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	35	39	(D)	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)	30	53	662	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	53	53	2,997	3,013
Cattle and calves	8,430	41	53	1,435	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	35	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	44	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	30	49	1,952	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	74	36	52	2,056	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	3	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	198	41	51	769	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	187,034	17	53	55	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	101,020	25	53	41	633
Durum wheat for grain	69,839	6	52	10	137
Canola	58,053	11	45	11	232
Barley for grain	35,422	8	53	20	1,158
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	14,691	40	53	1,615	3,063
Colonies of bees	2,730	33	44	252	2,761
Horses and ponies	450	34	53	2,162	3,072
Sheep and lambs	349	39	50	1,723	2,897
Bison	(D)	18	35	(D)	1,126

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	206	Farming	265
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	223
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	19	Male	424
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Female	64
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	39	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	48	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	42	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	68	White	669
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	63,538	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	130,200	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	51,772		
Average per farm (\$)	106,091		

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.