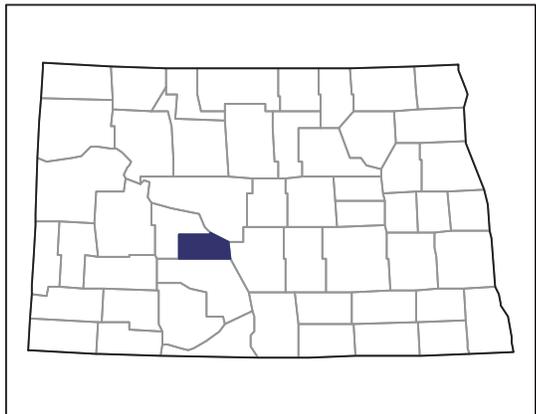


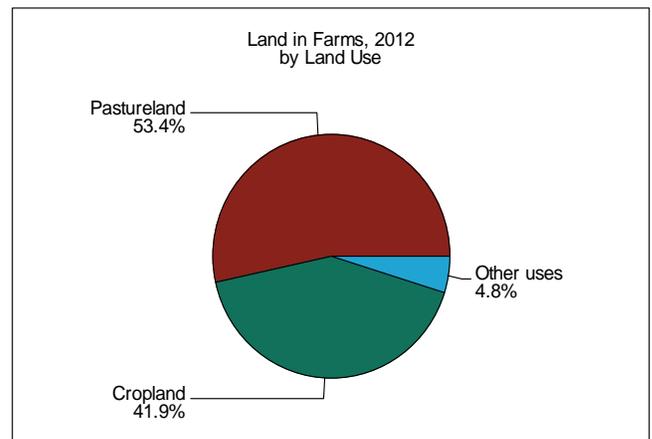
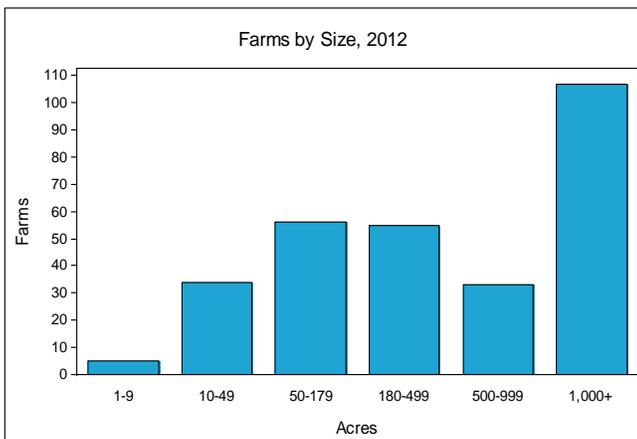
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Oliver County North Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	290	273	+ 6
Land in Farms	394,528 acres	377,904 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	1,360 acres	1,384 acres	- 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$85,495,000	\$53,389,000	+ 60
Crop Sales \$51,510,000 (60 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$33,985,000 (40 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$294,811	\$195,563	+ 51
Government Payments	\$2,057,000	\$1,692,000	+ 22
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,437	\$8,335	+ 13





Oliver County – North Dakota

Ranked items among the 53 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	85,495	48	53	1,308	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	51,510	49	53	1,141	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	33,985	12	53	1,195	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	46,690	49	53	870	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	24	39	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	23	27	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	21	25	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	6	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	29	53	618	3,049
Poultry and eggs	4	33	53	2,709	3,013
Cattle and calves	29,338	13	53	540	3,056
Milk from cows	3,848	6	35	802	2,038
Hogs and pigs	32	23	44	1,606	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	153	19	49	1,010	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	179	19	52	1,338	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	3	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	432	32	51	464	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	54,922	43	53	250	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	47,825	41	53	77	633
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	36,392	25	53	448	3,057
Corn for grain	20,050	36	53	966	2,638
Sunflower seed, all	11,358	23	53	42	565
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	49,422	14	53	509	3,063
Colonies of bees	(D)	36	44	(D)	2,761
Sheep and lambs	941	23	50	936	2,897
Horses and ponies	616	27	53	1,813	3,072
Layers	456	18	52	2,417	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	37	Farming	155
\$1,000 to \$2,499	9	Other	135
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	31	Male	271
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Female	19
\$25,000 to \$39,999	28		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	59	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	40	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	65,162	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	224,698	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	472
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	25,814	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	89,014	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3

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.