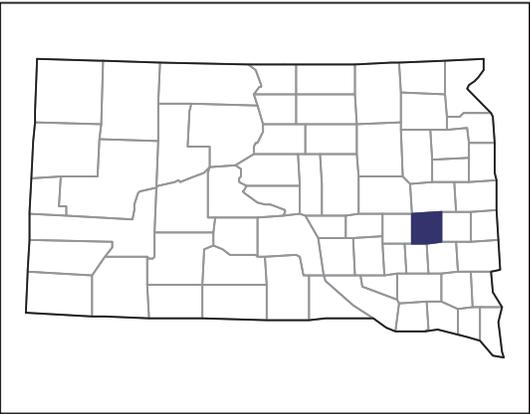


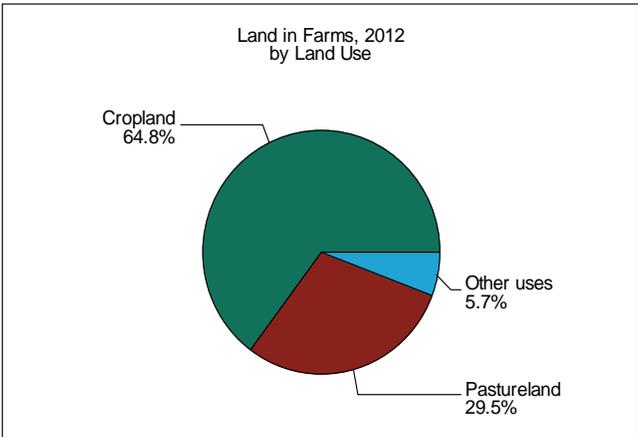
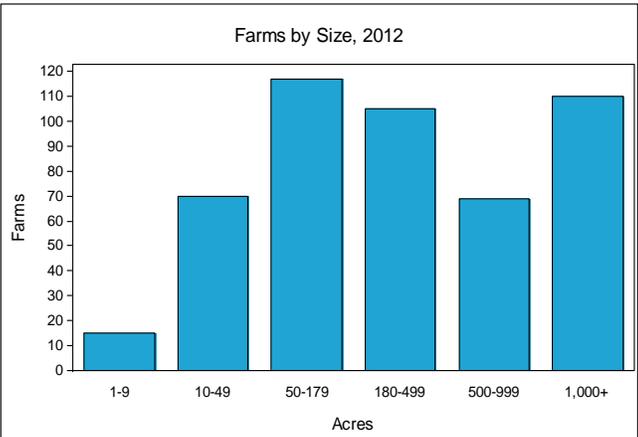
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Miner County South Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	486	356	+ 37
Land in Farms	357,311 acres	300,076 acres	+ 19
Average Size of Farm	735 acres	843 acres	- 13
Market Value of Products Sold	\$123,695,000	\$74,972,000	+ 65
Crop Sales \$74,947,000 (61 percent) Livestock Sales \$48,748,000 (39 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$254,517	\$210,594	+ 21
Government Payments	\$4,341,000	\$3,065,000	+ 42
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$10,825	\$10,718	+ 1





Miner County – South Dakota

Ranked items among the 66 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	123,695	34	66	965	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	74,947	34	66	855	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	48,748	40	66	920	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	73,261	33	66	637	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3	36	41	2,721	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	31	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	37	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	7	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,684	53	66	1,489	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	26	65	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	34,935	41	66	442	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	37	46	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	12,449	14	59	380	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	268	41	64	628	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	120	44	66	1,687	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	10	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	120	46	61	1,000	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	84,146	30	66	369	2,638
Soybeans for beans	79,859	28	59	368	2,162
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	20,200	49	66	959	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	7,860	48	66	770	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	7,418	34	65	720	2,480
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	51,189	37	66	484	3,063
Hogs and pigs	26,232	21	62	440	2,889
Sheep and lambs	2,227	32	65	410	2,897
Layers	595	38	65	2,253	3,040
Horses and ponies	502	50	66	2,038	3,072

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	140	Farming	270
\$1,000 to \$2,499	16	Other	216
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	24	Male	472
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Female	14
\$25,000 to \$39,999	14		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	32		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	73	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	61	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$500,000 or more	61	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	107,774	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	221,757	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	706
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	30,007	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	61,742	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-

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.