

MINNESOTA - DISTRICT 2**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	420	2,982	877
Acreage	117,830	646,025	318,472
Average size (acres)	146	605	382
Median size (acres)	59	424	252
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	226,504	912,570	507,163
Machinery/equip (dollars)	61,501	165,255	101,342
Cropland (acres)			
Total	99,795	567,231	297,971
Harvested	91,205	551,829	287,385
Irrigated	0	30,305	697
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	46,150	302,244	134,842
(dollars avg. per farm)	57,329	269,849	156,169
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	11,687	79,102	31,647
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	7,120	167,662	28,203
Beef cows	835	9,769	2,862
Milk cows	545	62,793	3,481
Hogs and pigs	18,725	489,024	109,288
Sheep and lambs	356	19,004	2,273
Layers 13 wks or/older	128	987,746	1,134
Broilers and chicken (sold)	170	8,859,329	1,888
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	37,174	221,254	117,712
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	176	36,384	2,926
Barley	60	7,359	220
Oats	296	24,492	1,637
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	0	0	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	31,074	234,458	115,688
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	4,246	118,990	12,198

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture