

**MINNESOTA - DISTRICT 4****Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	59.00	890.00	574
Acreage	69,128.00	221,316.00	145,222
Average size (acres)	120.00	249.00	185
Median size (acres)	6.00	88.00	40
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	242,315.00	569,875.00	433,057
Machinery/equip (dollars)	43,111.00	95,870.00	56,288
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	2,515.00	196,148.00	54,432
Harvested	693.00	183,564.00	48,671
Irrigated	171.00	41,386.00	1,613
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	6,235.00	102,979.00	43,748
(dollars avg. per farm)	76,217.00	115,707.00	105,681
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	14,932.00	36,217.00	21,247
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	13.00	32,991.00	9,540
Beef cows	1,017.00	3,014.00	2,016
Milk cows	0.00	4,795.00	3,002
Hogs and pigs	0.00	32,324.00	2,537
Sheep and lambs	16.00	944.00	649
Layers 13 wks or/older	2,062.00	2,062.00	2,062
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0.00	2,456.00	112
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	17,364.00	88,550.00	52,957
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	1,443.00	2,879.00	2,161
Barley	194.00	194.00	194
Oats	1,372.00	2,025.00	1,699
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	0.00	0.00	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	13,776.00	64,453.00	39,115
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	370.00	12,830.00	11,248

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<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
<b>Orchards</b>			
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