

OLIVER COUNTY, ND

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1,997	1,992	1,987
Farms			
Number	327	326	367
Acreage	400,248	384,213	386,090
Average size (acres)	1,224	1,179	1,052
Median size (acres)	800	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	271,498	276,092	218,270
Machinery/equip (dollars)	61,962	69,525	57,748
Cropland (acres)			
Total	186,405	187,088	195,495
Harvested	137,452	127,180	121,637
Irrigated	3,839	4,207	1,239
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	19,086	17,994	16,735
(dollars avg. per farm)	58,368	55,197	45,601
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	10,900	11,909	10,600
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	37,001	29,638	34,526
Beef cows	16,411	14,836	15,808
Milk cows	1,791	1,844	2,847
Hogs and pigs	3,185	3,247	5,546
Sheep and lambs	2,378	3,688	1,844
Layers 13 wks or/older	1,067	D	1,316
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	400	740
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	2,002	1,848	2,404
Corn, silage or green chop	5,808	7,501	6,858
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	60,571	50,314	41,607
Barley	11,746	13,775	11,098
Oats	7,955	11,714	13,349
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	3,197	1,608	5,233
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	48,277	43,422	42,853
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards

Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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