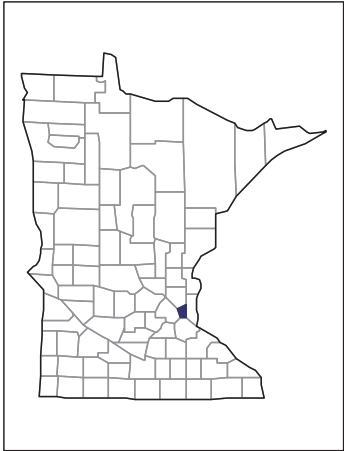


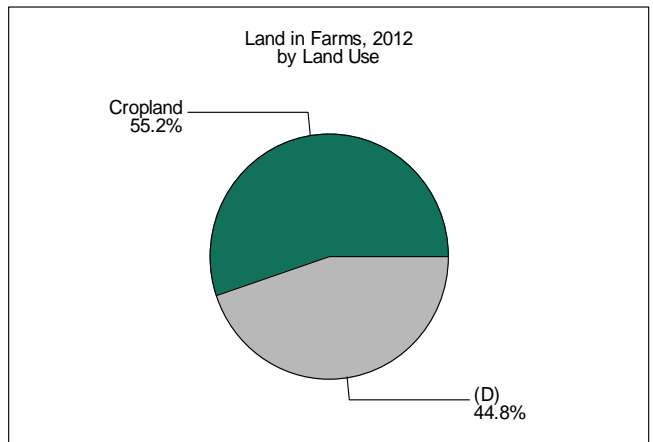
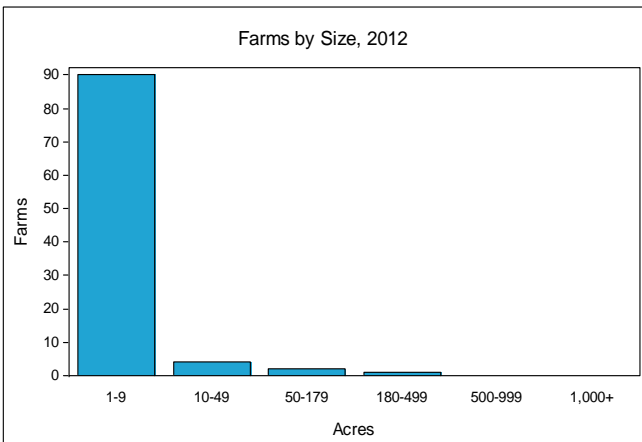
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Ramsey County Minnesota

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	97	30	+ 223
Land in Farms	723 acres	941 acres	- 23
Average Size of Farm	7 acres	31 acres	- 77
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$2,942,000	(D)	
Crop Sales \$2,479,000 (84 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$463,000 (16 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$30,331	(D)	
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Government Payments	-	(D)	
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	-	(D)	



2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE

Ramsey County – Minnesota

Ranked items among the 87 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	2,942	85	87	2,941	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,479	85	87	2,652	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	463	85	87	2,965	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	85	85	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	851	51	87	901	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,521	22	79	884	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	50	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	87	87	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	-	-	86	-	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	81	83	(D)	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	86	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-	85	-	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	28	43	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	86	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Vegetables harvested, all	200	53	87	995	2,801
Sweet corn	36	47	80	732	2,416
Squash, all	31	11	80	254	1,895
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	(D)	87	87	3,044	3,057
Soybeans for beans	(D)	85	85	2,086	2,162
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Soybeans for beans	(D)	85	85	2,086	2,162
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,723
Deer	(D)	12	49	(D)	1,034
Cattle and calves	(D)	85	87	(D)	3,063
Sheep and lambs	(D)	83	86	(D)	2,897

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	-	Farming	81
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1	Other	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999	46	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	Male	52
\$10,000 to \$19,999	9	Female	45
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	50.2
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5	Asian	98
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3	Black or African American	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
\$500,000 or more	-	White	34
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,357	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	24,296	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	692		
Average per farm (\$)	7,135		

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.