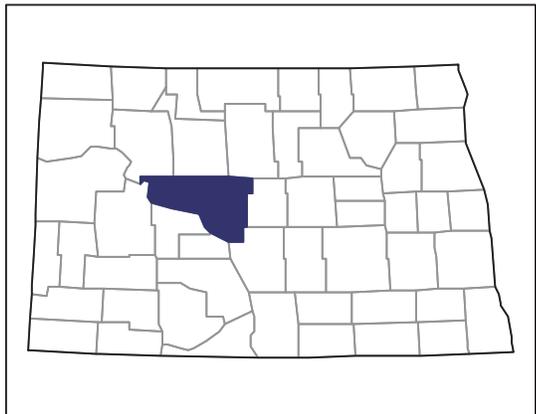


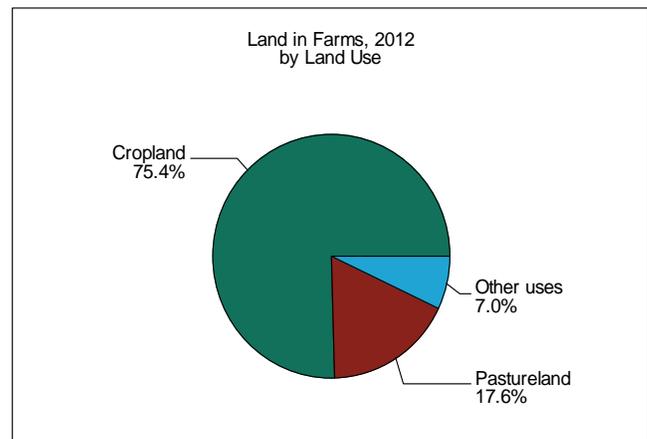
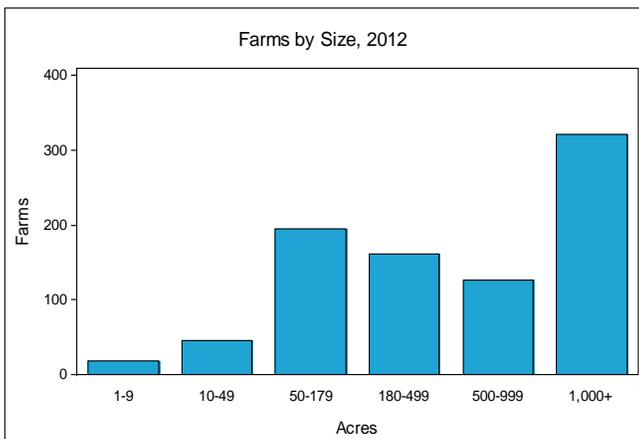
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### McLean County North Dakota

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	868	1,001	- 13
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,112,659 acres	1,162,923 acres	- 4
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	1,282 acres	1,162 acres	+ 10
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$293,406,000	\$163,440,000	+ 80
Crop Sales \$270,674,000 (92 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$22,732,000 (8 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$338,025	\$163,276	+ 107
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$11,766,000	\$9,673,000	+ 22
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$16,364	\$12,001	+ 36





## McLean County – North Dakota

### Ranked items among the 53 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	293,406	10	53	287	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	270,674	10	53	105	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	22,732	23	53	1,525	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	262,280	7	53	49	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	11	39	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	27	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	17	22	25	2,455	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	6	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	23	53	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	3	35	53	2,730	3,013
Cattle and calves	17,506	26	53	898	3,056
Milk from cows	237	26	35	1,693	2,038
Hogs and pigs	9	35	44	2,138	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	(D)	49	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	161	21	52	1,442	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	1	3	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	4,266	4	51	43	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Wheat for grain, all	346,845	3	53	10	2,537
Spring wheat for grain	249,885	2	53	5	633
Canola	82,003	5	45	5	232
Durum wheat for grain	59,838	7	52	11	137
Corn for grain	54,938	21	53	583	2,638
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	40,200	18	53	686	3,063
Colonies of bees	36,924	1	44	11	2,761
Horses and ponies	880	19	53	1,355	3,072
Sheep and lambs	605	32	50	1,277	2,897
Deer	598	1	5	99	1,034

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	254	Farming	448
\$1,000 to \$2,499	23	Other	420
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	Male	768
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Female	100
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	35	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	28	American Indian or Alaska Native	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	96	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	93	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	172	White	1,222
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	186,833	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	215,245	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	135,579		
Average per farm (\$)	156,197		

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.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.