



# Lake County Minnesota

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	42	-5
Land in farms (acres)	3,565	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	85	(Z)
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<b>Total</b>	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	358,000	-8
Government payments	41,000	(D)
Farm-related income	(D)	(D)
Total farm production expenses	588,000	+23
Net cash farm income	-128,000	-100
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<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	8,525	-3
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	13,710	(D)
Farm-related income	(D)	(D)
Total farm production expenses	13,989	+29
Net cash farm income	-3,048	-110

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	83
Livestock, poultry, and products	17

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	39
Pastureland	14
Woodland	29
Other	18

Acres irrigated: 12

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	-
Cover crop	19

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	19	45
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	5
\$100,000 or more	-	-

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	5	12
10 to 49 acres	18	43
50 to 179 acres	16	38
180 to 499 acres	2	5
500 to 999 acres	1	2
1,000 + acres	-	-

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>3,037</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>2,957</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	85	-	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	31	79	86	1,877	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	59	84	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	164	54	82	1,312	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	51	54	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	77	85	87	2,695	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>2,996</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	14	75	87	1,681	3,007
Cattle and calves	35	82	87	2,721	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	80	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	7	81	85	1,640	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	85	-	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	74	84	2,418	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	28	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	62	85	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>76</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	93	
Male	38			
Female	38	Farm organically	5	
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	31	
<35	7	Hire farm labor	19	
35 – 64	43	Are family farms	95	
65 and older	26			
<b>Race</b>			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	3		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Asian	-		Cattle and calves	129
Black or African American	-		Goats	15
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	21
White	73		Horses and ponies	57
More than one race	-		Layers	885
<b>Other characteristics</b>			Pullets	355
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		Sheep and lambs	(D)
With military service	1		Turkeys	11
New and beginning farmers	13			

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.