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South Dakota Rank in U.S. Agriculture

U.S. Rank	Commodity and Date	Number	Unit	Percent of U.S. Total
1	Bison , inventory, Census of Agriculture, 2017	30,035	head	16.3
2	Sunflower, All , production, 2022	1,082,400,000	pounds	38.5
2	Sunflower, Non-oil , production, 2022	73,200,000	pounds	30.4
2	Sunflower, Oil , production, 2022	1,009,200,000	pounds	39.2
3	Millet, Proso , production, 2022	1,110,000	bushels	11.8
3	Oats , production, 2022	6,000,000	bushels	10.4
3	Sorghum for Grain , production, 2022	11,900,000	bushels	6.3
4	Hay, Alfalfa , production, 2022	2,805,000	tons	5.8
4	Safflower , production, 2022	12,800,000	pounds	7.8
4	Wheat, Spring , production, 2022	33,600,000	bushels	7.0
5	Beef Cows, All , inventory, January 1, 2023	1,533,000	head	5.3
5	Calf Crop , January - December, 2022	1,680,000	head	4.9
5	Lamb Crop , inventory, 2022	200,000	head	6.4
5	Land in Farms , 2022	43,200,000	acres	4.8
5	Peas, Dry Edible , production, 2022	300,000	cwt	2.0
5	Sorghum for Silage , production, 2022	651,000	tons	11.5
5	Wool , production, 2022	1,750,000	pounds	7.9
6	Corn for Grain , production, 2022	661,320,000	bushels	4.8
6	Corn for Silage , production, 2022	6,600,000	tons	5.1
6	Hay, All , production, 2022	4,560,000	tons	4.0
6	Honey , production, 2022	7,215,000	pounds	5.8
6	Sheep and Lambs, All , inventory, January 1, 2023	250,000	head	5.0
6	Sheep and Lambs, Market , inventory, January 1, 2023	63,000	head	4.6
7	Cattle on Feed , inventory, January 1, 2023	430,000	head	3.0
7	Grain Storage Capacity, On Farm , December 1, 2022	740,000,000	bushels	5.4
7	Principal Crops Harvested , 2022	15,993,000	acres	5.6
7	Wheat, All , production, 2022	71,560,000	bushels	4.3
8	Cattle and Calves, All , inventory, January 1, 2023	3,550,000	head	4.0
8	Cropland , total, acres, Census of Agriculture, 2017	19,813,517	acres	5.0
8	Pig Crop , December 2021-November 2022	6,840,000	head	5.2
8	Principal Crops Planted , 2022	16,627,000	acres	5.3
9	Soybeans , production, 2022	192,660,000	bushels	4.5
9	Wheat, Winter , production, 2022	37,960,000	bushels	3.4
10	Grain Storage Capacity, Off Farm , December 1, 2022	445,000,000	bushels	3.8
10	Hogs and Pigs, All , inventory, December 1, 2022	2,080,000	head	2.8
12	Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings , 2021	11,886,704,000	dollars	2.7
13	Hay, Other , production, 2022	1,755,000	tons	2.7
13	Red Meat Production, Commercial , 2022	1,438,600,000	pounds	2.6
15	Milk Cows , inventory, January 1, 2023	187,000	head	2.0

Ten Leading States and South Dakota's Rank

Item	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	U.S. Rank	% of US Total
Crop Production - 2022												
Barley	ID	ND	MT	WY	WA	CO	MN	AZ	DE	PA	19	0.2
Corn for Grain	IA	IL	MN	NE	IN	SD	OH	WI	KS	MO	6	4.8
Corn for Silage	WI	MN	CA	IA	NY	MI/SD		ID	PA	NE	6	5.1
Hay, Alfalfa	ID	CA	MT	SD	IA	WI	NE	ND	AZ	KS	4	5.8
Hay, All	TX	MO	KS	ID	KY	SD	CA	NE	MT	OK	6	4.0
Hay, Other	TX	MO	KY	TN	OK	KS	PA	AR	VA	NE	13	2.7
Millet, Proso	CO	NE	SD								3	11.8
Oats	ND	MN	SD	WI	PA	IA	NY	ME	TX	MI	3	10.4
Peas, Dry Edible	MT	ND	WA	ID	SD	NE					5	2.0
Safflower	CA	MT	ID	SD	UT						4	7.8
Sorghum for Grain	KS	TX	SD	CO	NE	OK					3	6.3
Sorghum for Silage	TX	KS	CO	NE	SD	OK					5	11.5
Soybeans	IL	IA	MN	IN	OH	NE	MO	ND	SD	AR	9	4.5
Sunflower, All	ND	SD	MN	TX	NE	KS	CO	CA			2	38.5
Sunflower, Non-oil	ND	SD	MN	TX	KS	CO	NE	CA			2	30.4
Sunflower, Oil	ND	SD	MN	TX	NE	KS	CA	CO			2	39.2
Wheat, All	ND	KS	WA	MT	ID	MN	SD	OK	OR	IL	7	4.3
Wheat, Spring	ND	MN	MT	SD	ID	WA					4	7.0
Wheat, Winter	KS	WA	OK	ID	MT	OR	IL	TX	SD	OH	9	3.4
Livestock Inventory – January 1, 2023												
Beef Cows, All	TX	OK	MO	NE	SD	KS	MT	KY	FL	ND	5	5.3
Bison, All ¹	SD	NE	MT	ID	ND	CO	WY	TX	WI	KS	1	16.3
Cattle and Calves, All	TX	NE	KS	CA	OK	MO	IA	SD	WI	CO	8	4.0
Cattle and Calves on Feed	NE/TX		KS	IA	CO	CA	SD	MN	ID	OK	7	3.0
Milk Cows, All	CA	WI	ID	TX	NY	PA	MN	MI	NM	WA	15	2.0
Sheep and Lambs, All	TX	CA	CO	WY	UT	SD	ID	MT	IA	OR	6	5.0
Sheep and Lambs, Market	CA	CO	TX	WY	ID	SD	IA	OR	UT	MN	6	4.6
Livestock Inventory - December 1, 2022 and Livestock Production for 2022												
Calf Crop	TX	CA	MO	OK	SD	NE	WI	KS	MT	IA	5	4.9
Chickens	IA	OH	IN	TX	PA	GA	AR	NC	MI	AL	30	0.5
Hogs and Pigs, All	IA	MN	NC	IL	IN	NE	MO	OH	OK	SD	10	2.8
Honey Production	ND	CA	TX	MT	FL	SD	MN	OR	MI	GA	6	5.8
Lamb Crop	TX	WY	UT	CA	SD	CO	MT	ID	IA	OR	5	6.4
Milk Production	CA	WI	ID	TX	NY	MI	MN	PA	NM	WA	16	1.8
Pig Crop ²	IA	NC	MN	IL	MO	NE	OK	SD	IN	OH	8	5.2
Wool Production	CA	WY	CO	UT	SD	ID	MT	TX	IA/OR		5	7.9
Miscellaneous – 2022												
Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings ³	CA	IA	NE	TX	MN	IL	KS	IN	NC	WI	12	2.7
Cropland, Total, Acres ¹	TX	KS	ND	IA	IL	NE	MN	SD	MT	MO	8	5.0
Cropland, Irrigated Acres ¹	NE	CA	AR	TX	ID	CO	KS	MT	MS	WA	26	0.8
Grain Storage, December 1:												
On Farm Capacity	IA	MN	IL	NE	ND	IN	SD	MO/OH		KS	7	5.4
Off Farm Capacity	IL	IA	KS	NE	MN	TX	IN	OH	ND	SD	10	3.8
Land in Farms	TX	MT	KS	NE	SD	NM	ND	OK	CO	IA	5	4.8
Number of Farms	TX	MO	IA	OK	OH	KY	IL	TN	CA	MN	28	1.5
Principal Crops Harvested	IA	IL	KS	ND	MN	NE	SD	MO	IN	TX	7	5.6
Principal Crops Planted	IA	KS	IL	TX	ND	NE	MN	SD	MO	IN	8	5.3
Red Meat Production, Commercial	IA	NE	KS	TX	IL	MN	NC	CO	MO	IN	13	2.6

¹ Census of Agriculture, 2017. ² December 2021-November 2022. ³ 2021 data from ERS.