



Otter Tail County Minnesota

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	2,497	-2
Land in farms (acres)	770,922	-3
Average size of farm (acres)	309	-1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	551,279,000	+58
Government payments	21,906,000	+153
Farm-related income	21,088,000	+24
Total farm production expenses	390,047,000	+39
Net cash farm income	204,225,000	+116
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	220,776	+61
Government payments ^a	13,657	+157
Farm-related income ^a	15,106	+28
Total farm production expenses	156,206	+41
Net cash farm income	81,788	+121

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	61
Livestock, poultry, and products	39

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	545,784
Pastureland	56,121
Woodland	95,876
Other	73,141

Acres irrigated: 70,140

9% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	21
Intensive till	30
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	952	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	134	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	154	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	244	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	209	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	189	8
\$100,000 or more	615	25

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	67	3
10 to 49 acres	436	17
50 to 179 acres	994	40
180 to 499 acres	606	24
500 to 999 acres	229	9
1,000+ acres	165	7

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	551,279	16	87	168	3,078
Crops	336,363	15	87	130	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	288,880	19	86	111	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	24,850	3	86	137	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	460	28	80	904	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	4,536	14	79	498	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	517	5	43	118	1,274
Other crops and hay	17,120	14	87	199	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	214,916	20	87	307	3,076
Poultry and eggs	92,085	6	86	225	3,027
Cattle and calves	52,067	10	86	307	3,047
Milk from cows	65,233	12	77	178	1,770
Hogs and pigs	249	61	85	717	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	864	12	83	223	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	300	17	83	853	2,907
Aquaculture	1,339	4	36	154	1,190
Other animals and animal products	2,780	5	85	91	2,909

Producers ^d	4,299	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	77
Male	2,951		Corn for grain 173,119
Female	1,348		Soybeans for beans 159,496
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	395		Forage (hay/haylage), all 73,435
35 – 64	2,266		Wheat for grain, all 20,131
65 and older	1,638		Dry edible beans 15,001
Race		Sell directly to consumers	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	4		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
Asian	14		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 677
Black or African American	-		Cattle and calves 70,204
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	Hire farm labor	18
White	4,266		Goats 1,162
More than one race	14		Hogs and pigs 599
Other characteristics		Are family farms	96
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	20		Horses and ponies 1,372
With military service	418		Layers 4,145
New and beginning farmers	1,024		Pullets 234
			Sheep and lambs 3,933
			Turkeys 880,267

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.