Golden Valley County
North Dakota

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	249	-13
Land in farms (acres)	638,147	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	2,563	+17
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	55,545,000	+23
Government payments	9,992,000	+70
Farm-related income	5,780,000	-15
Total farm production expenses	58,284,000	+17
Net cash farm income	13,032,000	+60
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	223,071	+42
Government payments [a]	52,042	+93
Farm-related income [a]	43,131	+20
Total farm production expenses	234,074	+35
Net cash farm income	52,337	+85

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	61
Livestock, poultry, and products	39

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	184,413
Pastureland	430,880
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Acres irrigated: 19

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	23
Reduced till	10
Intensive till	3
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [b]
Less than $2,500	65	26
$2,500 to $4,999	15	6
$5,000 to $9,999	2	1
$10,000 to $24,999	26	10
$25,000 to $49,999	19	8
$50,000 to $99,999	16	6
$100,000 or more	106	43

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [b]
1 to 9 acres	3	1
10 to 49 acres	24	10
50 to 179 acres	40	16
180 to 499 acres	35	14
500 to 999 acres	21	8
1,000+ acres	126	51

2022 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *County Profile*

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	**55,545**	**52**	**53**	**1,875**	**3,078**
Crops	**33,748**	**51**	**53**	**1,526**	**3,074**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	30,716	51	53	1,145	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	17	40	1,225	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	24	-	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	26	27	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	5	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,664	39	53	1,179	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	**21,796**	**29**	**53**	**1,691**	**3,076**
Poultry and eggs	(D)	20	53	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	21,389	23	53	806	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	19	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	7	27	40	1,626	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	217	15	52	859	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	17	49	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	4	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	49	51	(D)	2,909

Producers [d]   434

Sex
Male   311
Female   123

Age
<35   41
35 – 64   271
65 and older   122

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native   -
Asian   -
Black or African American   -
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander   -
White   431
More than one race   3

Other characteristics
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin   6
With military service   50
New and beginning farmers   142

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access   **72**

Farm organically   **-**

Sell directly to consumers   **1**

Hire farm labor   **24**

Are family farms   **97**

Top Crops in Acres [e]

Forage (hay/haylage), all	60,709
Wheat for grain, all	58,320
Corn for grain	10,069
Dry edible peas	6,867
Canola	6,737

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	30,785
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	520
Layers	404
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	1,109
Turkeys	-