COUNTY PROFILE

Redwood County
Minnesota


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| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Number of Farms | 1,163 | 1,215 | -4 |
| Land in Farms | 521,453 acres | 553,855 acres | -6 |
| Average Size of Farm | 448 acres | 456 acres | -2 |


| Market Value of Products Sold | $\$ 518,362,000$ | $\$ 364,059,000$ | +42 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Crop Sales $\$ 364,938,000$ (70 percent) <br> Livestock Sales $\$ 153,424,000$ (30 percent) |  |  |  |
| Average Per Farm | $\$ 445,711$ | $\$ 299,637$ | +49 |
|  | $\$ 10,261,000$ | $\$ 10,378,000$ | -1 |
| Government Payments | $\$ 10,251$ | $\$ 9,856$ | +4 |




## Redwood County - Minnesota

Ranked items among the 87 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

| Item | Quantity | State Rank | Universe ${ }^{1}$ | U.S. Rank | Universe ${ }^{1}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total value of agricultural products sold | 518,362 | 5 | 87 | 101 | 3,077 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse | 364,938 | 3 | 87 | 55 | 3,072 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products | 153,424 | 17 | 87 | 258 | 3,076 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 343,444 | 3 | 85 | 14 | 2,926 |
| Tobacco | , | - | - | - | 436 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 635 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 12,204 | 8 | 87 | 183 | 2,802 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 141 | 32 | 81 | 1,247 | 2,724 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | (D) | 64 | 79 | (D) | 2,678 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | (D) | 26 | 50 | (D) | 1,530 |
| Other crops and hay | 9,046 | 17 | 87 | 325 | 3,049 |
| Poultry and eggs | 15,332 | 20 | 87 | 518 | 3,013 |
| Cattle and calves | 53,363 | 7 | 86 | 256 | 3,056 |
| Milk from cows | 4,068 | 53 | 83 | 777 | 2,038 |
| Hogs and pigs | 80,360 | 15 | 86 | 68 | 2,827 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk | 197 | 40 | 87 | 811 | 2,988 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 59 | 58 | 85 | 2,179 | 3,011 |
| Aquaculture | - | - | 43 |  | 1,366 |
| Other animals and other animal products | 45 | 67 | 86 | 1,477 | 2,924 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Corn for grain | 245,135 | 2 | 85 | 18 | 2,638 |
| Soybeans for beans | 200,496 | 4 | 85 | 23 | 2,162 |
| Vegetables harvested, all | 10,970 | 4 | 87 | 82 | 2,801 |
| Sweet corn | 7,118 | 3 | 80 | 14 | 2,416 |
| Sugarbeets for sugar | 6,236 | 13 | 32 | 44 | 136 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Turkeys | 336,506 | 13 | 76 | 77 | 2,416 |
| Hogs and pigs | 179,776 | 17 | 85 | 97 | 2,889 |
| Cattle and calves | 28,869 | 26 | 87 | 993 | 3,063 |
| Sheep and lambs | 1,388 | 27 | 86 | 650 | 2,897 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 1,173 | 27 | 85 | 898 | 2,723 |

Other County Highlights, 2012

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity |
| :--- | ---: |
| Farms by value of sales: |  |
| Less than $\$ 1,000$ | 176 |
| $\$ 1,000$ to $\$ 2,499$ | 23 |
| $\$ 2,500$ to $\$ 4,999$ | 22 |
| $\$ 5,000$ to $\$ 9,999$ | 31 |
| $\$ 10,000$ to $\$ 19,999$ | 45 |
| $\$ 20,000$ to $\$ 24,999$ | 6 |
| $\$ 25,000$ to $\$ 39,999$ | 31 |
| $\$ 40,000$ to $\$ 49,999$ | 19 |
| $\$ 50,000$ to $\$ 99,999$ | 107 |
| $\$ 100,000$ to $\$ 249,999$ | 209 |
| $\$ 250,000$ to $\$ 499,999$ | 202 |
| $\$ 500,000$ or more | 292 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 365,483 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 314,259 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 188,898 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 162,423 |


| Operator Characteristics | Quantity |
| :--- | ---: |
| Principal operators by primary occupation: <br> Farming <br> Other | 797 |
| Principal operators by sex: | 366 |
| Male |  |
| Female | 1,123 |
| Average age of principal operator (years) | 40 |
| All operators by race ${ }^{2}$ : | 55.2 |
| American Indian or Alaska Native |  |
| Asian | 5 |
| Black or African American | - |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | - |
| White | 4 |
| More than one race | 1,662 |
| All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ${ }^{2}$ | - |

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[^0]:    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.
    ${ }^{1}$ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ${ }^{2}$ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

