

MINNESOTA AGRICULTURAL PROFILE



Minnesota is one of the nation's leading agricultural states, with a rich farming heritage. Agriculture is a cornerstone of Minnesota's economy and rural communities, supporting one in 10 jobs statewide and producing a wide range of crops, livestock, and food products.

Supported by world-class research institutions, a skilled workforce, and a culture of innovation, Minnesota continues to advance solutions in food production, conservation, renewable energy, and agricultural technology. Together, these strengths help ensure a vibrant and sustainable future for Minnesota agriculture.

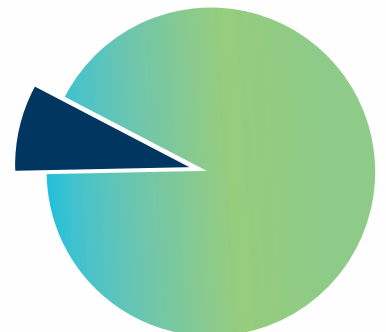
Minnesota at a Glance



Minnesota:

- Population: 5.8 million
- Agricultural land: 27 million acres (53% of Minnesota's land area)
- Farms: 64,000

Minnesota accounts for 8% of all U.S. agricultural sales—more than \$22 billion annually



Among all U.S. States, Minnesota rankings in cash receipts

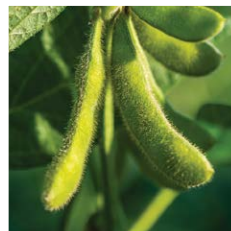
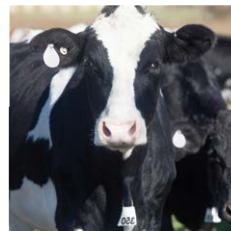
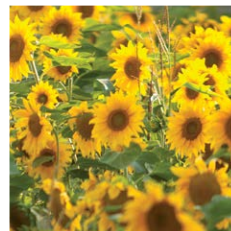
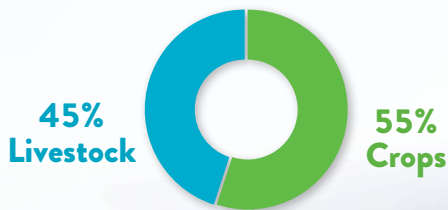
Crops

- #1 sugarbeets, green peas for processing
- #2 wild rice, sweet corn for processing, oats
- #3 spring wheat, sunflower, canola, dry edible beans
- #4 corn, soybeans
- #7 barley
- #8 potatoes

Livestock

- #1 turkeys
- #2 hogs
- #6 cheese
- #7 milk cows, red meat, honey

Total cash receipts:
\$22.1 billion



Interested in Sourcing from Minnesota?

Whether you are seeking agricultural commodities, food ingredients, consumer products, or business partnerships, the Minnesota Department of Agriculture's International Marketing team can help facilitate the connections you need.

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