

## 2004 Blue Earth County, MN Summary

— Annual Crop —	Conservation Tillage <i>(greater than 30% residue)</i>										Other Tillage Practices			
	Total Acres	No-Till		Ridge-Till		Mulch-Till		Total Conservation Tillage (No-Till+Ridge-Till+Mulch-Till)		Reduced-Till <i>(15-30% residue)</i>		Intensive-Till <i>(0-15% residue)</i>		
		Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	
Barley	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Beans	1,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	200	0.1%	1,200	0.7%	
Canola	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Corn <sup>1</sup>	180,000	1,300	0.7%	0	0.0%	3,600	2.0%	4,900	2.7%	40,000	22.2%	135,100	75.1%	
Cotton	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Forage Crops <sup>2</sup>	2,950	150	5.1%	n/a	n/a	300	10.2%	450	15.3%	500	16.9%	2,000	67.8%	
Oats	1,100	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	600	54.5%	600	54.5%	500	45.5%	0	0.0%	
Peanuts	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Potatoes	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Rice	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Rye	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Sorghum <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Soybeans (FS)	184,000	9,000	4.9%	0	0.0%	9,000	4.9%	18,000	9.8%	90,000	48.9%	76,000	41.3%	
Soybeans (DC)	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Sugar Beets	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Sugarcane	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Sunflowers	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Tobacco	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Other Crops (incl. veg)	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Spring Wheat	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Winter Wheat	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
<b>Total Acres</b>	<b>369,450</b>	<b>10,450</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>13,500</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>23,950</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>131,200</b>	<b>35.5%</b>	<b>214,300</b>	<b>58.0%</b>	
Newly Est. Perm. Pasture	0	0	0.0%	n/a	n/a	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Fallow	0	0	0.0%	n/a	n/a	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
CRP	11,989													

<sup>1</sup> Includes Full Season and Double Cropped.

<sup>2</sup> Forage Crops reported in seeding year only.

n/a means Not Applicable

Note: Data was collected in cooperation with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service and Local Conservation Partnerships.