

2002 Steele County, MN Summary

Annual Crop	Total Acres	Conservation Tillage (greater than 30% residue)			Total Conservation Tillage	Other Tillage Practices (15-30% residue) (0-15% residue)	
		No-Till	Ridge-Till	Mulch-Till		Reduced-Till ¹	Intensive-Till ²
Corn ³	106,000	1,300	0	7,600	8,900	30,000	67,100
Small Grain (Spring-Seeded)	2,500	0	0	250	250	1,000	1,250
Small Grain (Fall Seeded)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Soybeans (Full Season)	93,000	7,500	0	43,500	51,000	20,400	21,600
Soybeans (Double-Cropped)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cotton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grain Sorghum ³	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forage Crops ⁴	500	0	n/a	0	0	0	500
Other Crops ⁵	7,300	0	0	0	0	1,100	6,200
Total Planted Acres	209,300	8,800	0	51,350	60,150	52,500	96,650
Newly Established Permanent Pasture	300	0	n/a	0	0	0	300
Fallow	0	0	n/a	0	0	0	0
Conservation Reserve Program	9,532						
Highly Erodible Land	0						
Treated Highly Erodible Land	0						

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		No-Till	Ridge-Till	Mulch-Till		Reduced-Till ¹	Intensive-Till ²
Corn ³	106,000	1.2%	0.0%	7.2%	8.4%	28.3%	63.3%
Small Grain (Spring-Seeded)	2,500	0.0%	0.0%	10.0%	10.0%	40.0%	50.0%
Small Grain (Fall Seeded)	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Soybeans (Full Season)	93,000	8.1%	0.0%	46.8%	54.8%	21.9%	23.2%
Soybeans (Double-Cropped)	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Cotton	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Grain Sorghum ³	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Forage Crops ⁴	500	0.0%	n/a	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Other Crops ⁵	7,300	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	15.1%	84.9%
Total Planted Acres	209,300	4.2%	0.0%	24.5%	28.7%	25.1%	46.2%
Newly Established Permanent Pasture	300	0.0%	n/a	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Fallow	0	0.0%	n/a	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

¹ Reduced-Till = 500-1000 lbs. Small Grain Equivalent (SGE)

² Intensive-Till < 500 lbs. Small Grain Equivalent (SGE)

³ Includes Full Season and Double Cropped.

⁴ Forage Crops reported in seeding year only.

⁵ Other Crops include other vegetable crops, truck crops, peanuts, tobacco, sugar beets, etc.

n/a means Not Applicable