

2004 Summary for Steele County, Minnesota

— Annual Crop —	Total Acres	Conservation Tillage (greater than 30% residue)			= Total Conservation Tillage	Other Tillage Practices	
		No-Till	Ridge-Till	Mulch-Till		(15-30% residue) Reduced-Till ¹	(0-15% residue) Intensive-Till ²
Corn ³	105,812	1,058	1,058	3,174	5,290	40,209	60,313
Small Grain (Spring-Seeded)	2,717	0	0	0	0	0	2,717
Small Grain (Fall Seeded)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Soybeans (Full Season)	86,024	12,043	0	25,807	37,850	34,410	13,764
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	682	0	n/a	0	0	0	682
Other Crops ⁵	10,795	0	0	0	0	919	9,876
Total Planted Acres	206,030	13,101	1,058	28,981	43,140	75,538	87,352
Newly Established Permanent Pasture	600	300	n/a	0	300	0	300
Fallow	0	0	n/a	0	0	0	0
Conservation Reserve Program	11,119						
Highly Erodible Land	0						
Treated Highly Erodible Land	0						

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Corn ³	105,812	1.0%	1.0%	3.0%	5.0%	38.0%	57.0%
Small Grain (Spring-Seeded)	2,717	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Small Grain (Fall Seeded)	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Soybeans (Full Season)	86,024	14.0%	0.0%	30.0%	44.0%	40.0%	16.0%
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	682	0.0%	n/a	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Other Crops ⁵	10,795	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	8.5%	91.5%
Total Planted Acres	206,030	6.4%	0.5%	14.1%	20.9%	36.7%	42.4%
Newly Established Permanent Pasture	600	50.0%	n/a	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%	50.0%
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