

1997 Census of Agriculture Profiles

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United States Department of Agriculture, Wisconsin Agricultural Statistics Service

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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	819	71	72	3,012	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	508	69	72	2,956	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	311	71	72	2,946	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Dairy products	439	68	70	1,814	2,563
Fruits, nuts, berries	(D)	41	69	723	2,547
Cattle and calves	65	69	72	2,992	3,063
Other crops: potatoes, peanuts, etc	49	45	69	1,045	2,237
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	(D)	71	72	2,890	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	202	69	72	2,989	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	(D)	70	71	2,600	2,765
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	58	62	1,954	2,200
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	68	70	2,940	2,976
Turkeys sold	(D)	52	56	1,164	1,353
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	814	69	72	2,953	3,064
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	63	70	2,201	2,884
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	70	71	2,814	3,002
Broiler inventory	(D)	69	70	2,105	2,620
Horse and pony inventory	20	71	71	3,041	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	2,147	69	72	2,690	3,061
Oats-acres	161	69	71	1,465	2,332
Corn for silage-acres	(D)	69	71	2,164	2,473
Wild rice-acres	(D)	2	2	24	27
Total berries-acres	(D)	33	67	370	2,058

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	25	33	-24
\$10,000 or more	13	22	-41
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	732	(D)	
Average per farmdollars..	19,263	(D)	
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	87	341	-74
Average per farmdollars..	2,289	6,197	-63
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	33	52	-37
Partnership or corporation	4	3	33
Other	1	-	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	16	22	-27
Other	22	33	-33
Operators by sex:			
Male	34	48	-29
Female	4	7	-43
Operators by race:			
White	37	55	-33
Black and other races	1	-	
Average age of operator	52.4	51.7	1

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.