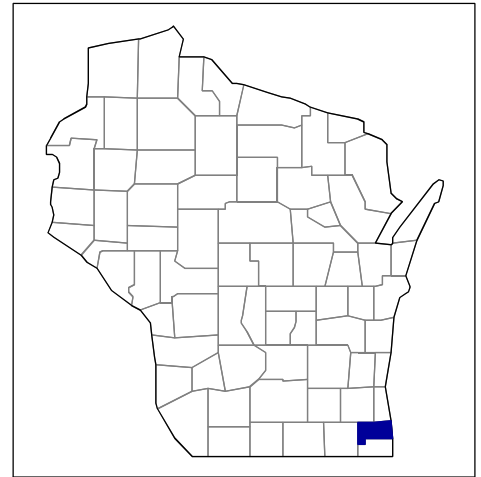




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Number of farms

631 farms in 2002, 690 farms in 1997, down 9 percent.

Land in farms

124,201 acres in 2002, 129,629 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

Average size of farm

197 acres in 2002, 188 acres in 1997, up 5 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$73,164,000 in 2002, \$82,174,000 in 1997, down 11 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$37,275,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$35,888,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

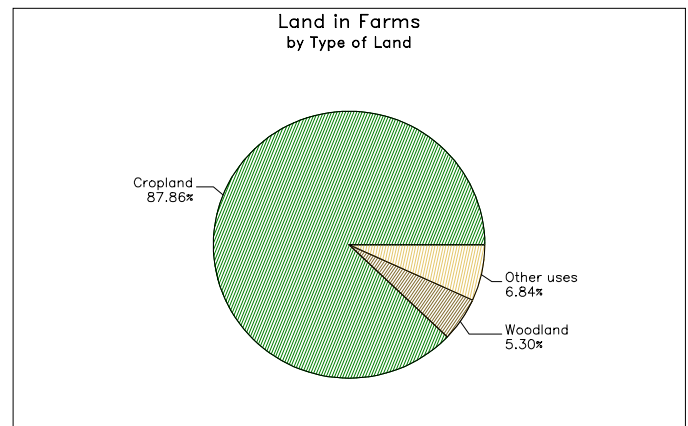
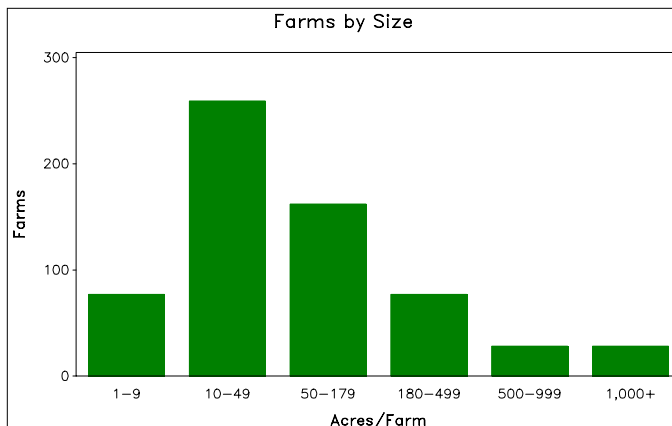
\$115,949 in 2002, \$119,093 in 1997, down 3 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,726,000 in 2002, \$2,040,000 in 1997, down 15 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$7,774 in 2002, \$6,090 in 1997, up 28 percent.



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Ranked items among the 72 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	73,164	35	72	760	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	37,275	14	72	698	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	35,888	41	72	809	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	16,739	18	72	766	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	10,951	6	71	163	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	8,672	6	70	299	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	69	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	351	35	71	1,109	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	80	35	70	941	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	109	47	69	1,699	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	56	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Ducks	(D)	1	70	(D)	2,630
Cattle and calves	11,370	59	72	1,943	3,059
Pheasants	10,480	7	60	47	1,541
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	10,221	8	71	651	2,599
Quail	(D)	5	40	(D)	1,412
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans	38,486	12	67	636	2,076
Corn for grain	35,276	33	69	612	2,592
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,257	64	72	1,857	3,059
All Wheat for grain	6,889	11	65	789	2,517
All Vegetables harvested	6,191	10	69	117	2,710

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	208
\$1,000 to \$2,499	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	47
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51
\$10,000 to \$19,999	63
\$20,000 to \$24,999	20
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	42
\$100,000 to \$249,999	55
\$250,000 to \$499,999	22
\$500,000 or more	22
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	59,228
Average per farm (\$)	93,864
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	15,335
Average per farm (\$)	24,303

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	361
Other	270
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	546
Female	85
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.2
All operators ² by race:	
White	933
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	-
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	6

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.