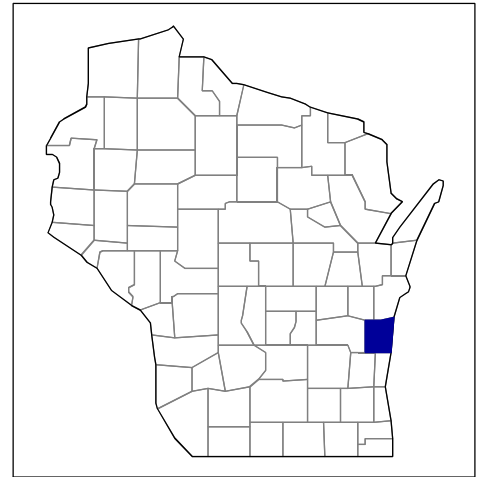




# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Sheboygan, Wisconsin



### Number of farms

1,116 farms in 2002, 1,178 farms in 1997, down 5 percent.

### Land in farms

195,248 acres in 2002, 193,526 acres in 1997, up 1 percent.

### Average size of farm

175 acres in 2002, 164 acres in 1997, up 7 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$103,960,000 in 2002, \$94,672,000 in 1997, up 10 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$21,462,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$82,498,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

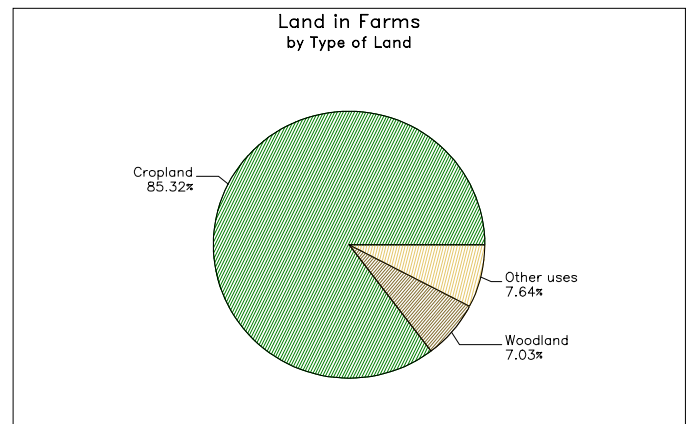
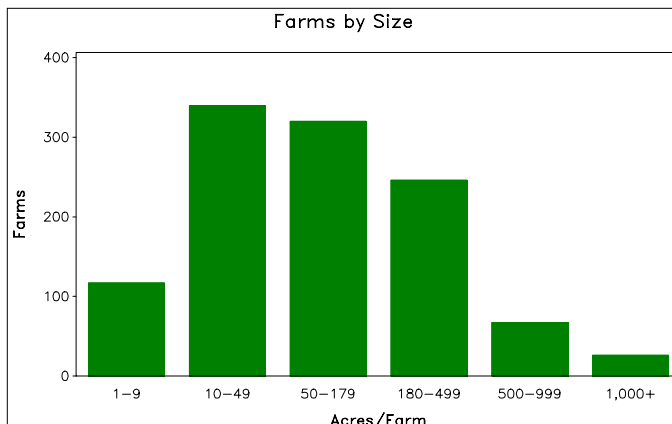
\$93,154 in 2002, \$80,367 in 1997, up 16 percent.

### Government Payments

\$3,956,000 in 2002, \$1,590,000 in 1997, up 149 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$8,073 in 2002, \$3,117 in 1997, up 159 percent.



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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	103,960	23	72	479	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	21,462	33	72	1,115	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	82,498	19	72	276	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	13,912	22	72	852	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,989	25	71	431	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,382	26	70	731	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,882	26	72	692	3,046
Poultry and eggs	84	42	71	1,351	2,918
Cattle and calves	14,975	21	72	702	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	58,645	15	69	57	2,493
Hogs and pigs	472	32	71	1,056	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	99	29	70	818	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	80	54	69	1,977	3,014
Aquaculture	809	6	56	196	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	7,335	2	68	13	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	61,295	23	72	408	3,059
Mink	54,340	2	25	4	117
Hogs and pigs	3,517	31	72	977	2,926
Horses and ponies	1,767	20	72	578	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	1,683	43	72	1,069	2,983
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	50,726	30	72	289	3,059
Corn for grain	36,515	31	69	601	2,592
Soybeans	26,698	19	67	753	2,076
Corn for silage	16,892	13	71	71	2,307
All Wheat for grain	10,756	3	65	617	2,517

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	285
\$1,000 to \$2,499	99
\$2,500 to \$4,999	97
\$5,000 to \$9,999	74
\$10,000 to \$19,999	89
\$20,000 to \$24,999	30
\$25,000 to \$39,999	64
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22
\$50,000 to \$99,999	95
\$100,000 to \$249,999	168
\$250,000 to \$499,999	56
\$500,000 or more	37
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	81,674
Average per farm (\$)	73,054
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	26,837
Average per farm (\$)	24,004

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	689
Other	427
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,000
Female	116
Average age of principal operator (years)	51.4
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
White	1,684
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
Asian	2
More than one race	-
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	8

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

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.