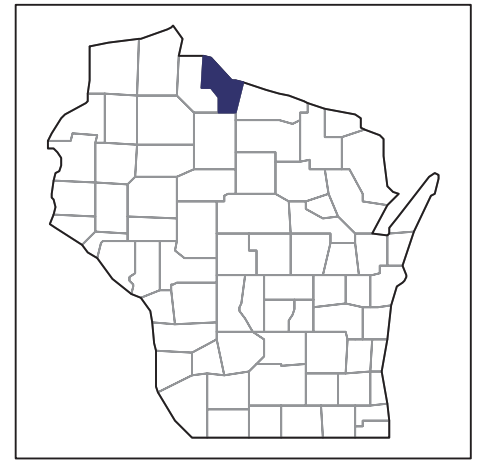


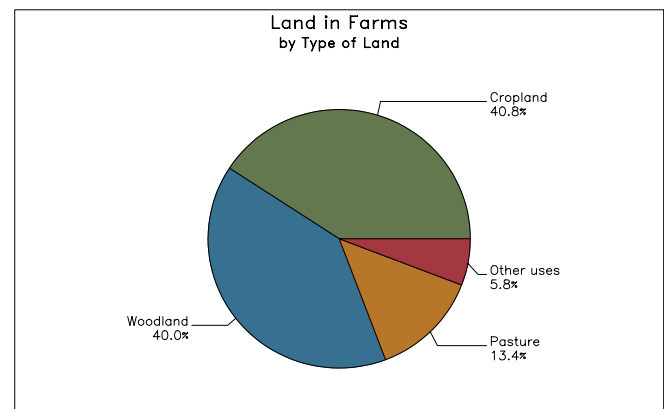
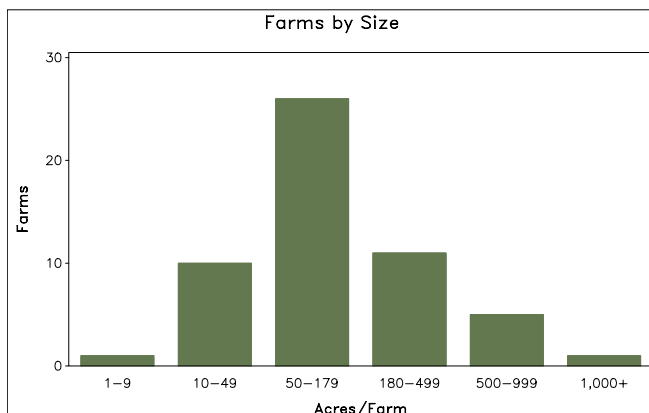
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## County Profile

### Iron County Wisconsin



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	54	62	- 13
<b>Land in Farms</b>	10,110 acres	12,741 acres	- 21
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	187 acres	206 acres	- 9
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>			
Crop Sales (D)	(D)	(D)	
Livestock Sales (D)	(D)	(D)	
Average Per Farm	(D)	(D)	
<b>Government Payments</b>			
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	(D)	\$44,000	
	(D)	\$6,292	



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### Iron County – Wisconsin

#### Ranked items among the 72 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	(D)	71	72	2,977	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	69	72	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	69	72	(D)	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6	71	71	2,804	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	8	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	66	71	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	805	27	70	526	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	70	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	68	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	69	72	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	71	72	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	110	69	72	2,971	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	539	67	70	1,594	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(Z)	71	71	2,847	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	71	71	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-	70	-	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	58	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,048	69	72	2,584	3,060
Land in berries	122	15	69	143	2,237
Wild rice	(D)	2	4	20	26
Corn for silage	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,263
Vegetables harvested for sale	38	64	71	1,807	2,794
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	706	68	72	2,935	3,060
Mink and their pelts	(D)	24	25	91	123
Horses and ponies	(D)	71	72	(D)	3,066
Layers	74	71	71	2,909	3,024
Sheep and lambs	(D)	71	71	(D)	2,891

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	15	Farming	23
\$1,000 to \$2,499	8	Other	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	Male	47
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1	Female	7
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	6	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	75
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,676	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	31,035	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	79		
Average per farm (\$)	1,461		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<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.