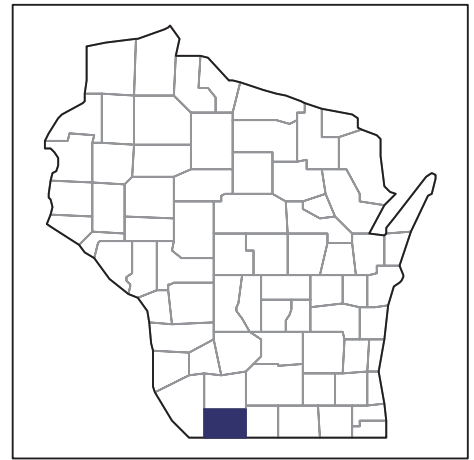


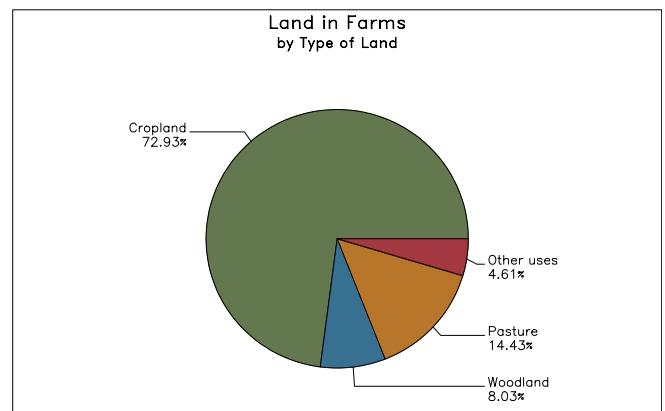
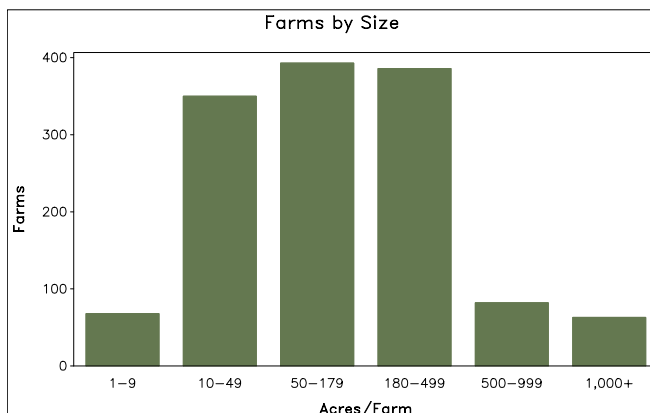
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Lafayette County Wisconsin



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,342	1,205	+ 11
Land in Farms	342,617 acres	342,800 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	255 acres	284 acres	- 10
Market Value of Products Sold	\$219,271,000	\$131,414,000	+ 67
Crop Sales \$71,012,000 (32 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$148,258,000 (68 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$163,391	\$109,057	+ 50
Government Payments	\$7,134,000	\$7,676,000	- 7
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,940	\$10,751	- 35



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Lafayette County – Wisconsin

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

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	219,271	10	72	280	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	71,012	9	72	597	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	148,258	14	72	211	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	67,377	6	71	435	2,933
Tobacco	112	4	8	336	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	48	67	71	2,140	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	40	69	70	1,809	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	988	42	70	1,089	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	11	59	68	1,082	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,437	15	72	706	3,054
Poultry and eggs	850	26	72	1,021	3,020
Cattle and calves	38,297	4	72	308	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	100,576	16	70	54	2,493
Hogs and pigs	6,343	4	71	480	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	1,587	2	71	66	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	175	30	70	1,228	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	58	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	431	30	70	421	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	114,461	6	68	236	2,634
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	54,086	20	72	230	3,060
Soybeans for beans	35,861	13	66	642	2,039
Corn for silage	11,619	24	70	105	2,263
Oats for grain	3,198	20	70	107	1,957
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	98,938	8	72	146	3,060
Layers	27,251	12	71	587	3,024
Hogs and pigs	21,673	5	71	501	2,958
Goats, all	5,138	2	70	71	3,023
Colonies of bees	3,144	1	71	206	2,640

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	391	Farming	749
\$1,000 to \$2,499	62	Other	593
\$2,500 to \$4,999	42		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	85	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	67	Male	1,216
\$20,000 to \$24,999	30	Female	126
\$25,000 to \$39,999	64		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	32	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	101		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	236	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	132	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	100	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	161,753	Black or African American	1
Average per farm (\$)	120,531	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	2,162
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	72,144	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	53,759	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8

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.

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.