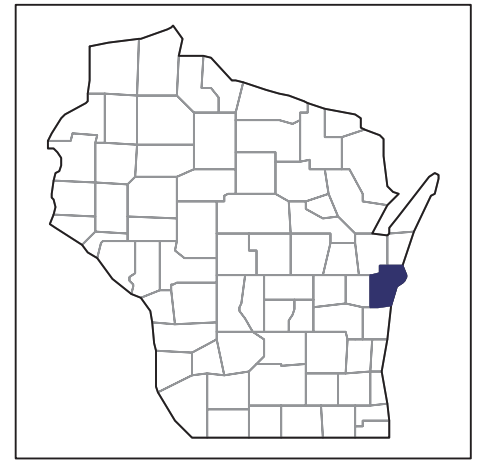


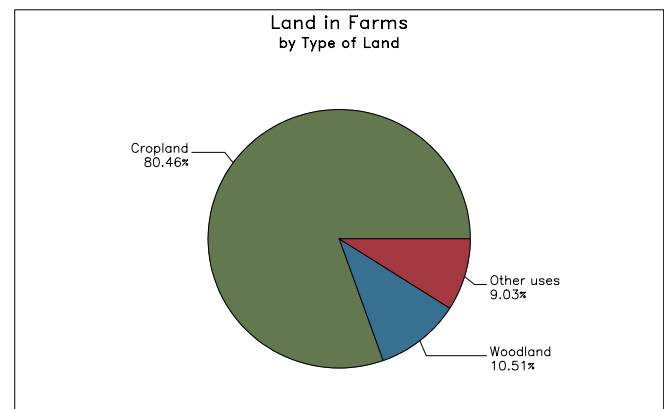
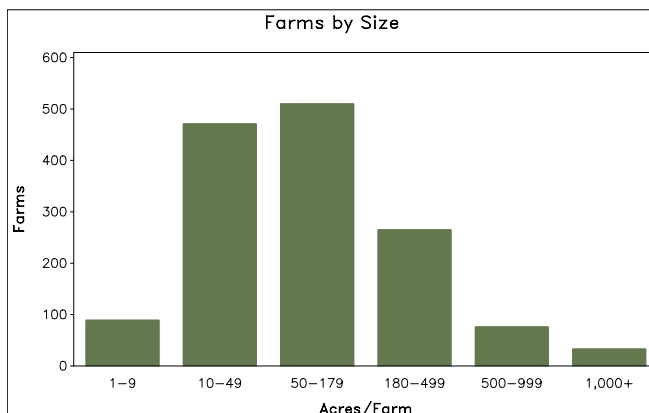
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Manitowoc County Wisconsin



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,444	1,469	- 2
Land in Farms	248,238 acres	257,111 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	172 acres	175 acres	- 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$257,171,000	\$147,298,000	+ 75
Crop Sales \$37,680,000 (15 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$219,490,000 (85 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$178,096	\$100,271	+ 78
Government Payments	\$3,662,000	\$6,141,000	- 40
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,880	\$8,155	- 52



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County Profile

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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	257,171	7	72	205	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	37,680	29	72	1,071	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	219,490	7	72	110	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	25,343	21	71	889	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	8	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	6,126	15	71	289	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	314	43	70	880	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,465	20	70	597	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	31	49	68	745	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,400	16	72	723	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	20	72	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	23,010	13	72	582	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	191,332	5	70	28	2,493
Hogs and pigs	242	40	71	1,178	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	267	20	70	874	3,024
Aquaculture	2	48	58	1,207	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	9	70	(D)	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	63,082	11	72	154	3,060
Corn for grain	43,457	30	68	649	2,634
Corn for silage	27,906	6	70	23	2,263
Soybeans for beans	22,370	26	66	797	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	17,972	1	66	521	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	97,330	9	72	152	3,060
Layers	(D)	10	71	(D)	3,024
Mink and their pelts	(D)	13	25	38	123
Horses and ponies	1,927	24	72	598	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,800	23	70	784	2,476

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	456	Farming	657
\$1,000 to \$2,499	110	Other	787
\$2,500 to \$4,999	96		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	115	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	106	Male	1,271
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Female	173
\$25,000 to \$39,999	72		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	25	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	89		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	150	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	104	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$500,000 or more	105	Asian	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	167,770	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	116,184	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
		White	2,177
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	98,247	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	68,038	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	5

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.