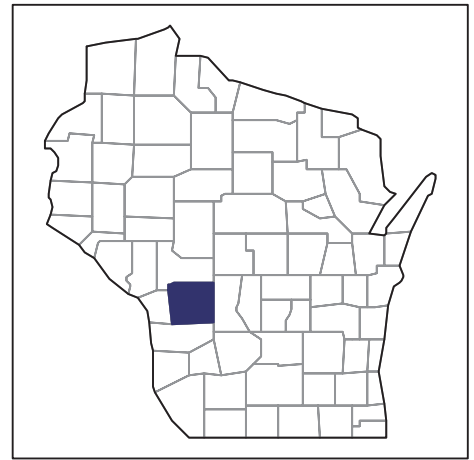


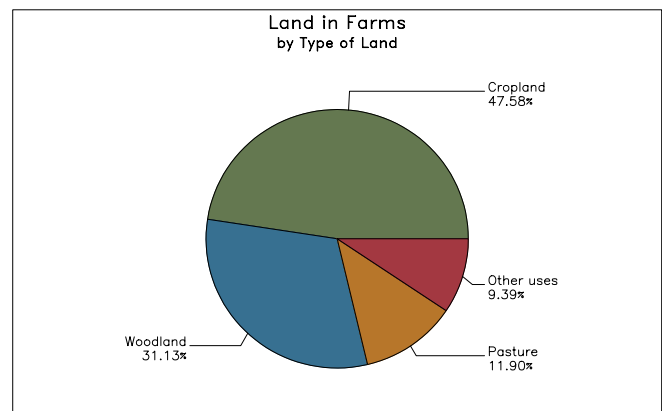
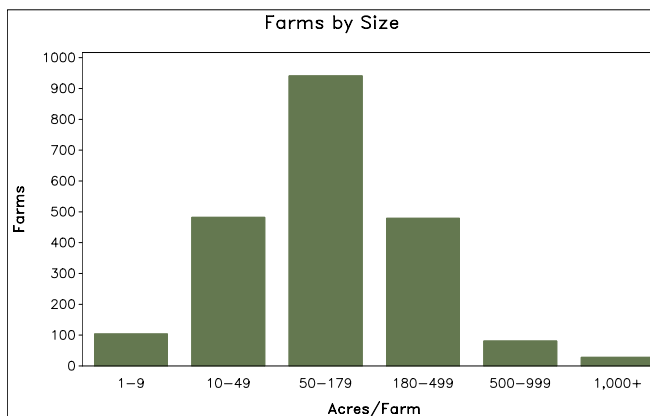
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Monroe County Wisconsin



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	2,115	1,938	+ 9
Land in Farms	351,306 acres	351,775 acres	0
Average Size of Farm	166 acres	182 acres	- 9
Market Value of Products Sold	\$165,092,000	\$102,572,000	+ 61
Crop Sales \$60,031,000 (36 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$105,061,000 (64 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$78,058	\$52,927	+ 47
Government Payments	\$3,188,000	\$4,214,000	- 24
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,772	\$4,918	- 44



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County Profile

Monroe 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	165,092	26	72	467	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	60,031	15	72	729	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	105,061	27	72	366	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	16,203	39	71	1,061	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	8	8	436	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	54	71	1,300	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	39,925	2	70	74	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	752	44	70	1,215	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,723	10	72	631	3,054
Poultry and eggs	347	35	72	1,165	3,020
Cattle and calves	19,472	18	72	704	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	84,011	19	70	77	2,493
Hogs and pigs	263	39	71	1,158	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	22	71	470	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	302	13	70	790	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	26	58	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	338	35	70	503	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	58,598	14	72	185	3,060
Corn for grain	47,514	28	68	611	2,634
Soybeans for beans	17,742	35	66	869	2,039
Corn for silage	10,936	28	70	113	2,263
Land in berries	3,681	2	69	17	2,237
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	72,569	18	72	280	3,060
Pullets for laying flock replacement	17,412	7	69	432	2,627
Layers	11,371	17	71	701	3,024
Horses and ponies	4,279	4	72	112	3,066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,118	13	70	689	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	706	Farming	940
\$1,000 to \$2,499	177	Other	1,175
\$2,500 to \$4,999	187		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	192	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	155	Male	1,929
\$20,000 to \$24,999	43	Female	186
\$25,000 to \$39,999	107		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	58	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	155		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	182	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	90	American Indian or Alaska Native	10
\$500,000 or more	63	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	121,060	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	57,239	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
		White	3,220
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	53,131	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	25,121	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	7

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.