

LIVESTOCK AND DAIRY RECORDS IN WISCONSIN AGRICULTURE

Commodity	Unit	Year 2006	Record high		Record low		Year estimate started
			Quantity	Year 1/	Quantity	Year 1/	
Cattle, all, Jan. 1	Head	3,400,000 2/	4,640,000	1975	642,000	1867	1867
Milk cows, Jan. 1	Head	1,245,000 2/	2,585,000	1946	245,000	1867	1867
Beef cows, Jan. 1	Head	265,000 2/	350,000	1976	16,000	1939	1920
Milk production	Mil. lbs.	23,398	25,000	1988	2,612	1889	1889
Milk per cow per year	Pounds	18,824	18,824	2006	5,100	1934	1933
Hogs, all, Dec. 1	Head	450,000	2,516,000	1943	430,000	2005	1866
Sheep & lambs, Jan. 1	Head	92,000 2/	543,000	1932	78,000	1997	1920
Layers, annual average	Head	4,699,000	18,848,000	1944	3,175,000	1993	1924
Egg production	Mil. eggs	1,284	2,411	1944	820	1993	1925
Total cheese	Thous. lbs.	2,467,664	2,467,664	2006	275,528	1922	1920
American cheese	Thous. lbs.	820,877	1,158,909	1983	215,400	1922	1920
Italian cheese	Thous. lbs.	1,176,321	1,176,321	2006	124	1925	1920
Muenster cheese	Thous. lbs.	39,794	81,957	1987	5,044	1931	1931
Butter	Thous. lbs.	378,838	383,570	2005	83,063	1946	1920

1/These are the latest years that records were achieved. In some cases, these records were equaled in several earlier years.

2/Inventory as of January 1, 2007.

LIVESTOCK: Number of Head and Value, Wisconsin, January 1, 2007

Commodity	Head	Value per head	Total value
	1,000	Dollars	1,000 dollars
Cattle and calves, all	3,400	1,230.00	4,182,000
Hogs and pigs, all 1/	450	83.00	36,520
Sheep and lambs, all	92	166.00	15,272
Chickens, total, 1/, 2/	6,527	2.00	13,054

1/December 1 previous year. 2/Does not include commercial broilers.

Livestock: Inventory and Sales Census of Agriculture, Wisconsin, 2002

Commodity	Inventory	Number sold
Bison	8,315	1,272
Deer	23,634	1,822
Milk goats	25,900	7,249
Other goats	9,279	4,605
Llamas	8,015	848
Rabbits & their pelts	12,508	22,664
Ducks	417,522	5,341,808
Pheasants	370,737	1,355,480

LIVESTOCK OPERATIONS: Wisconsin, Selected Years 1/

Year	Cattle	Milk cows	Beef cows	Hogs	Sheep
	Number				
1990	56,000	34,000	9,700	9,400	2,800
1995	49,000	28,000	10,500	5,700	2,400
2000	42,000	21,000	12,000	2,700	2,300
2001	40,000	19,100	12,000	2,700	2,300
2002	39,000	17,800	12,000	2,400	2,300
2003	38,000	16,900	12,500	2,400	2,400
2004	37,000	15,900	12,700	2,300	2,400
2005	36,000	15,300	12,700	2,200	2,400
2006	36,000	14,900	12,800	2,200	2,500

1/An operation is any place having one or more of the particular livestock on hand at any time during the year.