

2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

District 7, Wisconsin

Number of farms: 16,407

Land in farms: 3,491,740 acres

Average size of farm: 213 acres

Irrigated Land: 128,875 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 25,250

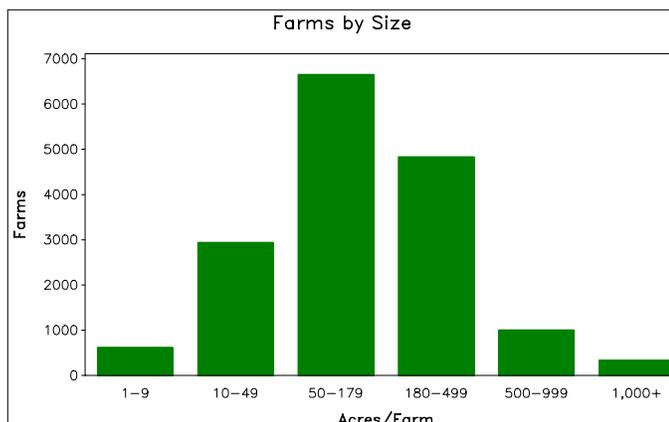
Market Value of Production: \$1,048,406,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$63,900

Government Payments: \$37,761,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$6,642

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$31,034,000



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United States Department of Agriculture, Wisconsin Agricultural Statistics Service**

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Ranked items among the 8 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

| 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 | 1,048,406 | 2 | 7 | 55 | 418 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ² | | | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 86,220 | 4 | 7 | 72 | 371 |
| Tobacco | - | - | 4 | - | 106 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 111 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes | 116,878 | 1 | 7 | 25 | 398 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 39,401 | 2 | 7 | 42 | 403 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod | 23,014 | 5 | 7 | 174 | 415 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops | 4,305 | 3 | 7 | 19 | 349 |
| Poultry and eggs | 56,834 | 2 | 7 | 88 | 382 |
| Cattle and calves | 127,922 | 4 | 7 | 63 | 389 |
| Milk and other dairy products from cows | 530,329 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 339 |
| Hogs and pigs | 3,679 | 6 | 7 | 113 | 372 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products | 1,180 | 4 | 7 | 71 | 380 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | 2,697 | 2 | 7 | 98 | 398 |
| Aquaculture | 4,809 | 1 | 7 | 40 | 321 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | | | |
| Turkeys | 1,893,124 | 1 | 7 | 12 | 356 |
| Cattle and calves | 659,521 | 2 | 7 | 35 | 394 |
| Mink | 105,709 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 61 |
| Layers 20 weeks old and older | 53,961 | 6 | 7 | 198 | 387 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 26,530 | 3 | 7 | 141 | 354 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | | | |
| Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 851,617 | 2 | 7 | 14 | 391 |
| Corn for grain | 390,480 | 4 | 7 | 42 | 327 |
| Soybeans | 147,907 | 5 | 7 | 71 | 269 |
| Corn for silage | 141,400 | 3 | 7 | 9 | 330 |
| All Vegetables harvested | 62,344 | 2 | 7 | 15 | 398 |

Other Congressional District Highlights

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity | Operator Characteristics | Quantity |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Farms by value of sales | | Principal operators by primary occupation: | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 4,627 | Farming | 9,883 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 1,819 | Other | 6,524 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 1,346 | Principal operators by sex: | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 1,347 | Male | 14,878 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 1,230 | Female | 1,529 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 426 | Average age of principal operator (years) | 51.9 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 805 | All operators ³ by race: | |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 417 | White | 24,599 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 1,661 | Black or African American | 7 |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 2,000 | American Indian or Alaska Native | 54 |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 471 | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 3 |
| \$500,000 or more | 258 | Asian | 97 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 478,757 | More than one race | 28 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 142,360 | All operators ³ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin | 175 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 261,488 | | |
| Average per farm (\$) | 15,908 | | |

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.