



Pierce County Wisconsin

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,229	-2
Land in farms (acres)	233,188	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	190	-3
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	149,367,000	-16
Government payments	2,297,000	-50
Farm-related income	6,583,000	+3
Total farm production expenses	124,458,000	-2
Net cash farm income	33,789,000	-47
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	121,535	-14
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,612	-22
Farm-related income	8,730	+4
Total farm production expenses	101,267	+1
Net cash farm income	27,493	-45

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	46
Livestock, poultry, and products	54

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	71
Pastureland	7
Woodland	17
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 1,349

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	26
Intensive till	19
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	396	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	132	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	136	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	97	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	97	8
\$100,000 or more	278	23

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	118	10
10 to 49 acres	372	30
50 to 179 acres	368	30
180 to 499 acres	267	22
500 to 999 acres	66	5
1,000 + acres	38	3

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	149,367	34	72	769	3,077
Crops	68,632	26	72	860	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	59,827	16	72	658	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	750	48	72	832	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	534	33	71	640	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	2,283	25	71	603	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	43	38	64	397	1,384
Other crops and hay	5,196	20	72	477	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	80,734	38	72	646	3,073
Poultry and eggs	44	49	72	1,295	3,007
Cattle and calves	21,212	30	72	754	3,055
Milk from cows	58,270	37	68	146	1,892
Hogs and pigs	389	25	71	666	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	242	33	70	664	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	409	8	69	526	2,970
Aquaculture	18	29	52	267	1,251
Other animals and animal products	150	41	70	617	2,878

Total Producers ^c	2,029	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	82
Male	1,297		
Female	732		
Age		Farm organically	2
<35	207		
35 – 64	1,284		
65 and older	538		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	8
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	4		
Black or African American	19		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	22
White	2,002		
More than one race	4		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	96
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	15		
With military service	182		
New and beginning farmers	532		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 46,673
			Goats 544
			Hogs and pigs 2,305
			Horses and ponies 1,507
			Layers 3,245
			Pullets 154
			Sheep and lambs 1,467
			Turkeys 93

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.