



# Wisconsin 1st District

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	2,798
Land in farms (acres)	574,614
Average size of farm (acres)	205
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<b>Total</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	470,615,000
Government payments	13,871,000
Farm-related income	(D)
Total farm production expenses	425,432,000
Net cash farm income	88,208,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)
Market value of products sold	168,197
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	10,871
Farm-related income	(D)
Total farm production expenses	152,048
Net cash farm income	31,525

**4** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	86
Pastureland	3
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

**Acres irrigated: 13,643**

2% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	24
Reduced till	20
Intensive till	22
Cover crop	9

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	953	34
\$2,500 to \$4,999	215	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	267	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	293	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	190	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	239	9
\$100,000 or more	641	23

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	529	19
10 to 49 acres	926	33
50 to 179 acres	673	24
180 to 499 acres	383	14
500 to 999 acres	159	6
1,000 + acres	128	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>470,615</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	198,763	6	8	79	381
Tobacco	(D)	4	4	65	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	22,709	6	8	114	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,008	6	8	212	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	41,691	3	8	104	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	456	6	7	89	326
Other crops and hay	6,307	7	7	229	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	13,269	4	7	149	404
Cattle and calves	52,628	7	7	134	396
Milk from cows	115,186	7	7	71	312
Hogs and pigs	9,942	3	7	89	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	2,523	6	7	68	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,480	5	7	178	393
Aquaculture	(D)	6	8	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	2,353	6	8	105	413

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

4,623

Sex

Male 2,978  
Female 1,645

Age

<35 424  
35 – 64 2,743  
65 and older 1,456

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 5  
Asian 10  
Black or African American 13  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -  
White 4,580  
More than one race 15

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 40  
With military service 343  
New and beginning farmers 1,021

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **83**

Farm organically **1**

Sell directly to consumers **11**

Hire farm labor **27**

Are family farms **94**

Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Corn for grain 205,747  
Soybeans for beans 170,044  
Forage (hay/haylage), all 45,500  
Wheat for grain, all 18,554  
Corn for silage 17,282

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 4,500  
Cattle and calves 79,912  
Goats 3,174  
Hogs and pigs 32,069  
Horses and ponies 5,015  
Layers 14,250  
Pullets 1,460  
Sheep and lambs 6,256  
Turkeys 530

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

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.