



Fond du Lac County Wisconsin

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,244	-11
Land in farms (acres)	317,371	+1
Average size of farm (acres)	255	+13
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	396,738,000	-4
Government payments	3,762,000	-51
Farm-related income	21,922,000	+75
Total farm production expenses	345,334,000	+6
Net cash farm income	77,087,000	-28
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	318,921	+8
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,351	-27
Farm-related income	25,790	+80
Total farm production expenses	277,600	+19
Net cash farm income	61,967	-19

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	24
Livestock, poultry, and products	76

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	85
Pastureland	2
Woodland	5
Other	8

Acres irrigated: 1,868

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	32
Reduced till	39
Intensive till	26
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	313	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	59	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	81	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	112	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	97	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	133	11
\$100,000 or more	449	36

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	126	10
10 to 49 acres	320	26
50 to 179 acres	343	28
180 to 499 acres	293	24
500 to 999 acres	102	8
1,000 + acres	60	5

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	396,738	5	72	145	3,077
Crops	95,243	11	72	590	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	78,292	9	72	506	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	9,500	11	72	224	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	25	71	553	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	2,278	26	71	605	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	56	64	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	4,442	27	72	568	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	301,495	5	72	104	3,073
Poultry and eggs	925	29	72	744	3,007
Cattle and calves	40,854	10	72	364	3,055
Milk from cows	256,700	3	68	20	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	29	71	704	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,293	8	70	134	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	17	69	803	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	52	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,197	10	70	157	2,878

Total Producers ^c	2,178	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	78	
Male	1,509	Farm organically	2	
Female	669	Sell directly to consumers	7	
Age		Hire farm labor	33	
<35	160	Are family farms	94	
35 – 64	1,378			
65 and older	640			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	7		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	370
Asian	4		Cattle and calves	118,094
Black or African American	-		Goats	3,018
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	974
White	2,167		Horses and ponies	977
More than one race	-		Layers	2,598
Other characteristics			Pullets	369
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		Sheep and lambs	1,331
With military service	158		Turkeys	38
New and beginning farmers	351			

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.