



Richland County Wisconsin

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

| | 2017 | % change since 2012 |
|---|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms | 1,103 | -12 |
| Land in farms (acres) | 220,843 | -3 |
| Average size of farm (acres) | 200 | +11 |
| Total | (\$) | |
| Market value of products sold | 136,651,000 | +18 |
| Government payments | 2,493,000 | -16 |
| Farm-related income | 5,154,000 | -21 |
| Total farm production expenses | 117,819,000 | +26 |
| Net cash farm income | 26,479,000 | -15 |
| Per farm average | (\$) | |
| Market value of products sold | 123,891 | +35 |
| Government payments (average per farm receiving) | 4,460 | +19 |
| Farm-related income | 8,207 | -12 |
| Total farm production expenses | 106,817 | +44 |
| Net cash farm income | 24,006 | -3 |

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

| | |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops | 22 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 78 |

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

| | |
|-------------|----|
| Cropland | 54 |
| Pastureland | 14 |
| Woodland | 28 |
| Other | 5 |

Acres irrigated: 317

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

| | |
|----------------|----|
| No till | 28 |
| Reduced till | 17 |
| Intensive till | 12 |
| Cover crop | 11 |

Farms by Value of Sales

| | Number | Percent of Total ^a |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500 | 462 | 42 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 84 | 8 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 90 | 8 |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 141 | 13 |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 74 | 7 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 81 | 7 |
| \$100,000 or more | 171 | 16 |

Farms by Size

| | Number | Percent of Total ^a |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres | 74 | 7 |
| 10 to 49 acres | 269 | 24 |
| 50 to 179 acres | 416 | 38 |
| 180 to 499 acres | 245 | 22 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 66 | 6 |
| 1,000 + acres | 33 | 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 | 136,651 | 38 | 72 | 844 | 3,077 |
| Crops | 30,686 | 51 | 72 | 1,396 | 3,073 |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas | 23,683 | 43 | 72 | 1,078 | 2,916 |
| Tobacco | - | - | 6 | - | 323 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 647 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes | 417 | 53 | 72 | 1,025 | 2,821 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries | 1,300 | 19 | 71 | 412 | 2,748 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod | 152 | 62 | 71 | 1,337 | 2,601 |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops | 58 | 34 | 64 | 357 | 1,384 |
| Other crops and hay | 5,077 | 21 | 72 | 483 | 3,040 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 105,965 | 29 | 72 | 474 | 3,073 |
| Poultry and eggs | (D) | (D) | 72 | (D) | 3,007 |
| Cattle and calves | 35,344 | 14 | 72 | 434 | 3,055 |
| Milk from cows | 65,422 | 31 | 68 | 126 | 1,892 |
| Hogs and pigs | (D) | (D) | 71 | (D) | 2,856 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk | 477 | 23 | 70 | 350 | 2,984 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys | 109 | 34 | 69 | 1,384 | 2,970 |
| Aquaculture | (D) | 38 | 52 | (D) | 1,251 |
| Other animals and animal products | 83 | 46 | 70 | 805 | 2,878 |

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|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|
| Total Producers ^c | 1,883 | Percent of farms that: | Top Crops in Acres ^d |
| Sex | | Have internet access | Forage (hay/haylage), all |
| Male | 1,195 | 68 | Corn for grain |
| Female | 688 | | Soybeans for beans |
| Age | | Farm organically | Corn for silage or greenchop |
| <35 | 134 | 3 | Wheat for grain, all |
| 35 – 64 | 1,104 | | |
| 65 and older | 645 | | |
| Race | | Sell directly to consumers | Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) |
| American Indian/Alaska Native | - | 5 | Broilers and other meat-type chickens |
| Asian | - | | Cattle and calves |
| Black or African American | - | Hire farm labor | Goats |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | - | 24 | Hogs and pigs |
| White | 1,882 | | Horses and ponies |
| More than one race | 1 | | Layers |
| Other characteristics | | Are family farms | Pullets |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin | 10 | 95 | Sheep and lambs |
| With military service | 172 | | Turkeys |
| New and beginning farmers | 367 | | |

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.