



Trempealeau County Wisconsin

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,229	-14
Land in farms (acres)	329,916	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	268	+19
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	291,117,000	+8
Government payments	2,725,000	-43
Farm-related income	9,713,000	-4
Total farm production expenses	241,496,000	+11
Net cash farm income	62,060,000	-5
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	236,873	+27
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,955	-19
Farm-related income	11,875	+4
Total farm production expenses	196,498	+29
Net cash farm income	50,496	+11

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	25
Livestock, poultry, and products	75

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	65
Pastureland	7
Woodland	22
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 8,597

3% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	36
Reduced till	27
Intensive till	16
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	383	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999	101	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	127	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	77	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	110	9
\$100,000 or more	338	28

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	56	5
10 to 49 acres	246	20
50 to 179 acres	436	35
180 to 499 acres	340	28
500 to 999 acres	94	8
1,000 + acres	57	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	291,117	13	72	269	3,077
Crops	72,314	22	72	811	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	60,681	15	72	654	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,832	34	72	584	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,032	11	71	267	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	27	64	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	6,514	13	72	386	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	218,803	9	72	184	3,073
Poultry and eggs	98,056	2	72	152	3,007
Cattle and calves	22,720	29	72	712	3,055
Milk from cows	94,540	18	68	92	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	11	71	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	417	26	70	407	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	14	69	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	42	52	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,024	13	70	177	2,878

Total Producers ^c

2,134

Sex

Male	1,423
Female	711

Age

<35	215
35 – 64	1,296
65 and older	623

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	2
Asian	-
Black or African American	1
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	2,126
More than one race	5

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	23
With military service	169
New and beginning farmers	504

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **77**

Farm organically **3**

Sell directly to consumers **5**

Hire farm labor **28**

Are family farms **96**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Corn for grain	81,152
Forage (hay/haylage), all	45,574
Soybeans for beans	43,823
Corn for silage or greenchop	13,945
Vegetables harvested, all	1,242

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,941,615
Cattle and calves	67,421
Goats	869
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	699
Layers	125,846
Pullets	427,852
Sheep and lambs	1,312
Turkeys	55,026

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.