



Wisconsin Ag News – 2022 Corn for Silage County Estimates

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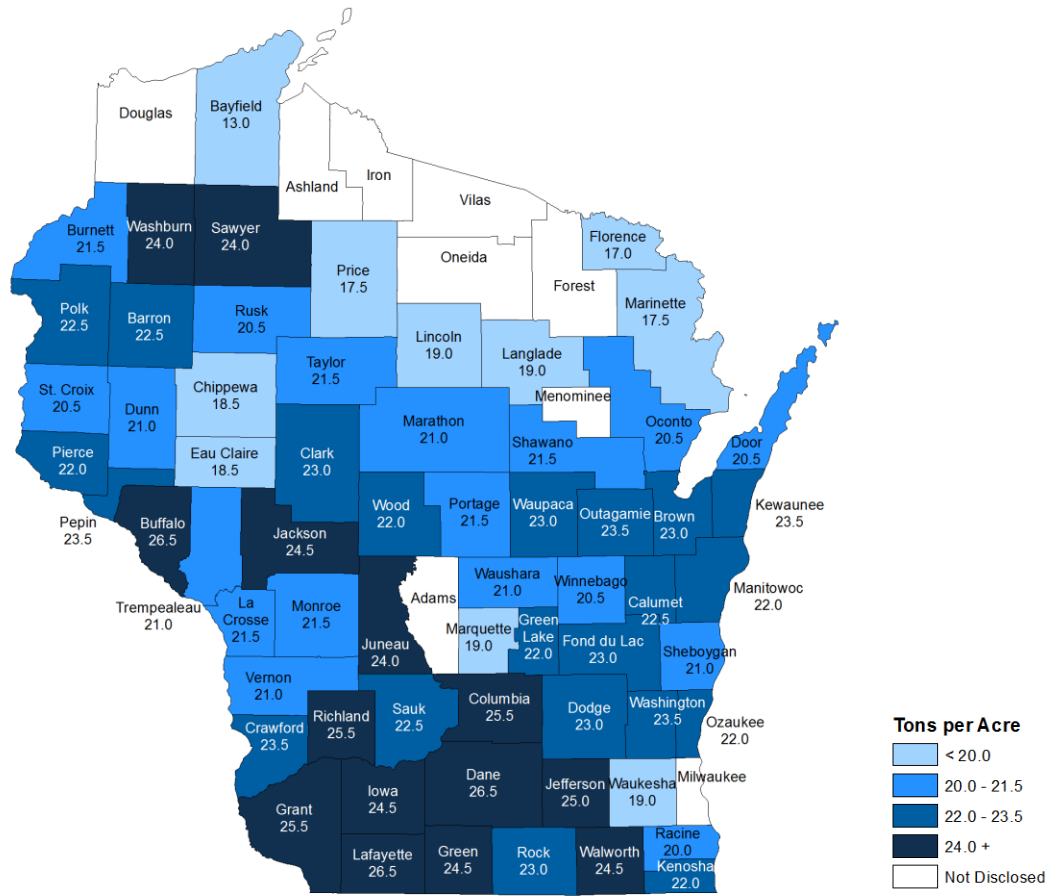
In 2022, Marathon County led all Wisconsin counties in total corn silage production with 1,057,000 tons, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Manitowoc (1,027,000), Dane (957,000), Fond du Lac (929,000), and Clark (823,000) rounded out the top five highest-producing counties.

Dane, Buffalo, and Lafayette Counties tied for the highest yield, with an average of 26.5 tons per acre harvested. Grant, Richland, and Columbia had the next highest yield, at 25.5 tons per acre.

Yields are calculated by dividing a county's production by its area harvested. Only published estimates were considered in rankings of counties.

Corn for Silage Yield – Wisconsin: 2022

State Average: 22.5 Tons per Acre



Corn, Area Harvested for Silage, Yield, and Production – Wisconsin by County: 2021-2022

County by district	Area harvested		Yield		Production	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	(acres)	(acres)	(tons per acre)	(tons per acre)	(tons)	(tons)
Northwest						
Barron	13,900	16,600	20.0	22.5	278,000	374,000
Bayfield	470	500	12.5	13.0	5,900	6,500
Burnett	2,080	4,290	18.0	21.5	37,400	92,000
Chippewa	16,500	24,400	18.5	18.5	305,000	451,000
Polk	12,700	9,610	19.0	22.5	241,000	216,000
Rusk	7,470	6,310	18.5	20.5	138,000	129,000
Sawyer	1,930	670	20.0	24.0	38,600	16,100
Washburn	3,290	2,440	21.5	24.0	70,000	58,000
North Central						
Ashland	2,330	–	17.5	–	40,600	–
Clark	33,700	35,800	20.5	23.0	691,000	823,000
Lincoln	2,570	2,140	18.0	19.0	45,900	40,600
Marathon	32,300	50,400	19.0	21.0	616,000	1,057,000
Price	1,970	2,240	15.5	17.5	30,500	39,200
Taylor	10,800	12,400	20.5	21.5	221,000	267,000
Northeast						
Florence.....	–	280	–	17.0	–	4,800
Langlade	5,120	6,950	19.5	19.0	100,000	132,000
Marinette	12,400	14,000	21.5	17.5	267,000	245,000
Oconto	18,800	24,200	20.5	20.5	385,000	496,000
Shawano	26,000	32,900	20.5	21.5	533,000	707,000
West Central						
Buffalo	9,330	21,100	22.5	26.5	210,000	559,000
Dunn	14,100	13,500	20.0	21.0	282,000	284,000
Eau Claire	3,590	1,950	21.5	18.5	77,000	36,100
Jackson	5,390	5,190	24.0	24.5	129,000	127,000
La Crosse	5,310	3,660	22.0	21.5	117,000	79,000
Monroe	14,800	19,900	23.0	21.5	340,000	428,000
Pepin	–	5,830	–	23.5	–	137,000
Pierce	8,120	17,200	24.5	22.0	199,000	378,000
St. Croix	18,900	17,000	20.5	20.5	387,000	349,000
Trempealeau	9,430	8,960	23.5	21.0	222,000	188,000
Central						
Adams	1,170	–	21.5	–	25,100	–
Green Lake	4,840	1,450	25.0	22.0	121,000	31,900
Juneau	4,440	6,840	21.5	24.0	95,000	164,000
Marquette	1,580	3,770	20.5	19.0	32,000	72,000
Portage	12,800	12,000	22.5	21.5	288,000	258,000
Waupaca	17,400	18,700	22.0	23.0	383,000	430,000
Waushara	5,470	3,200	19.0	21.0	104,000	67,000
Wood	11,900	11,600	21.5	22.0	256,000	255,000
East Central						
Brown	34,400	35,400	21.0	23.0	722,000	814,000
Calumet	24,200	22,200	22.0	22.5	532,000	500,000
Door	11,500	6,900	18.0	20.5	207,000	141,000
Fond du Lac	45,100	40,400	23.0	23.0	1,037,000	929,000
Kewaunee	28,900	32,200	23.0	23.5	665,000	757,000
Manitowoc	44,600	46,700	21.5	22.0	959,000	1,027,000
Outagamie	20,300	12,100	21.5	23.5	436,000	284,000
Sheboygan	22,200	23,800	21.0	21.0	466,000	500,000
Winnebago	9,670	15,700	21.5	20.5	208,000	322,000

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	(acres)	(acres)	(tons per acre)	(tons per acre)	(tons)	(tons)
Southwest						
Crawford	5,140	4,580	21.5	23.5	110,000	108,000
Grant	28,800	19,700	22.0	25.5	635,000	502,000
Iowa	11,300	11,600	23.5	24.5	266,000	284,000
Lafayette	22,900	19,400	23.5	26.5	538,000	514,000
Richland	11,100	13,500	20.5	25.5	228,000	344,000
Sauk	16,400	12,000	21.0	22.5	344,000	270,000
Vernon	10,300	12,400	20.5	21.0	211,000	260,000
South Central						
Columbia	12,800	12,400	23.5	25.5	301,000	316,000
Dane	45,000	36,100	23.5	26.5	1,058,000	957,000
Dodge	32,100	20,200	23.0	23.0	738,000	465,000
Green	20,100	12,700	21.0	24.5	422,000	311,000
Jefferson	9,330	12,000	21.0	25.0	196,000	300,000
Rock	14,900	8,060	23.5	23.0	349,000	185,000
Southeast						
Kenosha	5,150	4,290	20.0	22.0	103,000	94,000
Ozaukee	6,680	6,530	20.5	22.0	137,000	144,000
Racine	1,930	1,430	18.0	20.0	34,600	28,600
Walworth	13,900	5,800	23.0	24.5	320,000	142,000
Washington	9,330	10,400	21.5	23.5	200,000	244,000
Waukesha	360	460	18.5	19.0	6,600	8,700
Other counties	8,710	3,070	20.5	17.0	179,800	51,500
Wisconsin	880,000	880,000	21.5	22.5	18,920,000	19,800,000

– Data does not meet publication standards but is published in "Other counties", or represents zero.