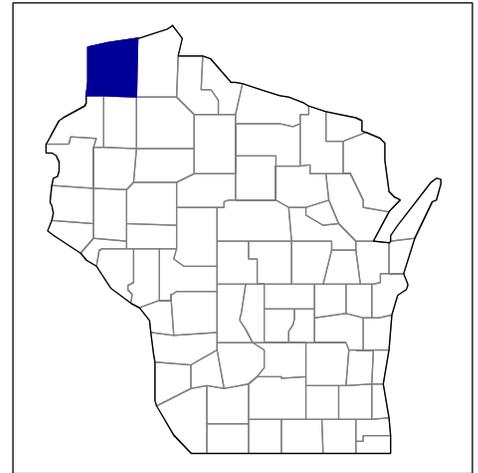


# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Douglas, Wisconsin



### Number of farms

391 farms in 2002, 371 farms in 1997, up 5 percent.

### Land in farms

84,858 acres in 2002, 88,736 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

### Average size of farm

217 acres in 2002, 239 acres in 1997, down 9 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$4,696,000 in 2002, \$6,129,000 in 1997, down 23 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$1,584,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$3,111,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

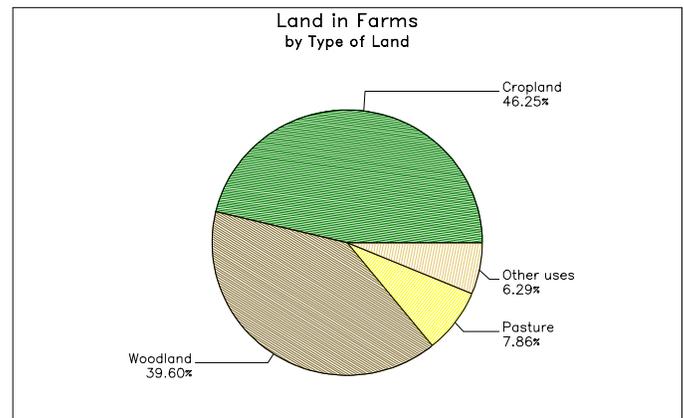
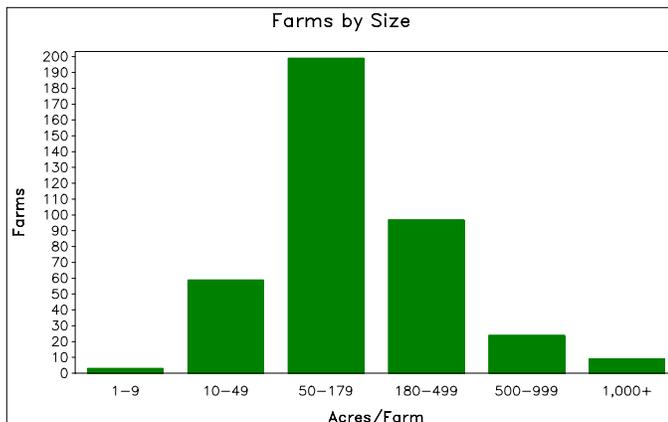
\$12,009 in 2002, \$16,521 in 1997, down 27 percent.

### Government Payments

\$74,000 in 2002, \$23,000 in 1997, up 222 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,382 in 2002, \$1,560 in 1997, up 181 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 72 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	4,696	68	72	2,789	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,584	67	72	2,585	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,111	65	72	2,565	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	15	70	72	2,692	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	6	71	71	2,564	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	4	63	68	1,467	1,774
Other crops and hay	559	61	72	1,809	3,046
Poultry and eggs	4	67	71	2,249	2,918
Cattle and calves	1,447	64	72	2,373	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,280	65	69	1,242	2,493
Hogs and pigs	15	63	71	2,157	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	51	44	70	1,245	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	109	46	69	1,694	3,014
Aquaculture	195	16	56	447	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	10	61	68	1,810	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	7,502	64	72	2,289	3,059
Horses and ponies	803	52	72	1,564	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	709	61	72	1,648	2,983
Sheep and lambs	662	46	71	1,261	2,867
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	590	50	71	1,062	2,599
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	24,530	50	72	913	3,059
Corn for silage	482	66	71	1,437	2,307
Oats	217	67	71	1,229	2,215
All Berries	(D)	13	70	(D)	2,019
Nursery stock	(D)	23	66	(D)	2,129

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	152
\$1,000 to \$2,499	65
\$2,500 to \$4,999	53
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47
\$10,000 to \$19,999	27
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	12
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,519
Average per farm (\$)	14,114
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-96
Average per farm (\$)	-245

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	182
Other	209
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	348
Female	43
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.3
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
White	541
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	5
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	5

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.