

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Wyoming, Pennsylvania

Number of farms

358 farms in 2002, 387 farms in 1997, down 7 percent.

Land in farms

61,846 acres in 2002, 66,866 acres in 1997, down 8 percent.

Average size of farm

173 acres in 2002, 173 acres in 1997, unchanged.

Market Value of Production

\$12,405,000 in 2002, \$29,977,000 in 1997, down 59 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$2,686,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$9,719,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

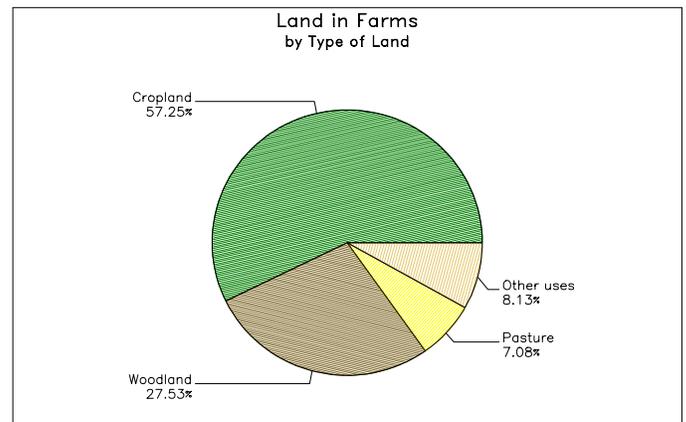
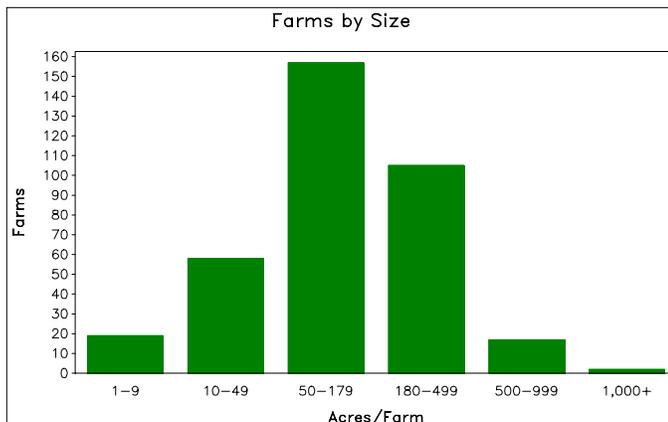
\$34,650 in 2002, \$77,459 in 1997, down 55 percent.

Government Payments

\$404,000 in 2002, \$195,000 in 1997, up 107 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,299 in 2002, \$1,892 in 1997, up 127 percent.



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Ranked items among the 67 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	12,405	51	67	2,389	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,686	56	67	2,387	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	9,719	47	66	1,905	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	307	52	65	2,141	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	530	45	67	985	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	203	43	66	890	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	780	51	66	1,208	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	122	40	66	377	1,774
Other crops and hay	743	51	66	1,542	3,046
Poultry and eggs	3	64	66	2,413	2,918
Cattle and calves	1,123	51	66	2,497	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	7,592	41	65	471	2,493
Hogs and pigs	19	59	66	2,078	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	49	40	66	1,274	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	8,311	47	66	2,207	3,059
Colonies of bees	1,098	11	64	415	2,392
Sheep and lambs	1,044	37	67	944	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	445	61	67	1,992	2,983
Horses and ponies	380	59	66	2,419	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	19,258	42	66	1,137	3,059
Corn for silage	3,011	43	65	563	2,307
Corn for grain	2,530	51	66	1,494	2,592
Oats	488	51	64	847	2,215
Cut Christmas trees	286	40	66	304	1,877

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	112
\$1,000 to \$2,499	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45
\$5,000 to \$9,999	35
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25
\$100,000 to \$249,999	30
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7
\$500,000 or more	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	10,951
Average per farm (\$)	30,419
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,818
Average per farm (\$)	5,050

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	225
Other	133
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	317
Female	41
Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
All operators ² by race:	
White	525
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	8

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

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.