

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Wayne, Pennsylvania

Number of farms

661 farms in 2002, 704 farms in 1997, down 6 percent.

Land in farms

113,167 acres in 2002, 114,754 acres in 1997, down 1 percent.

Average size of farm

171 acres in 2002, 163 acres in 1997, up 5 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$21,474,000 in 2002, \$23,855,000 in 1997, down 10 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$3,079,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$18,395,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

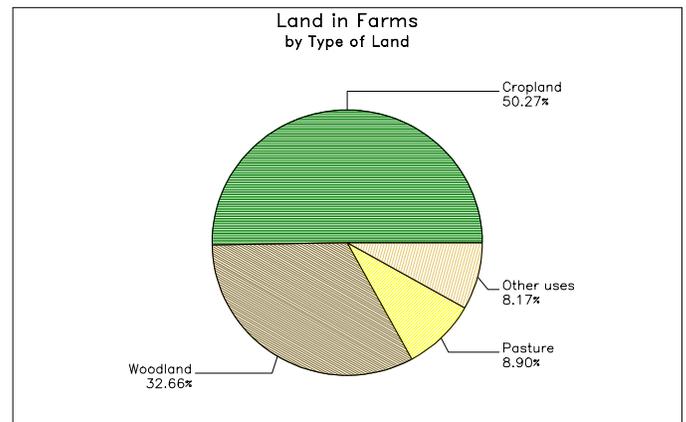
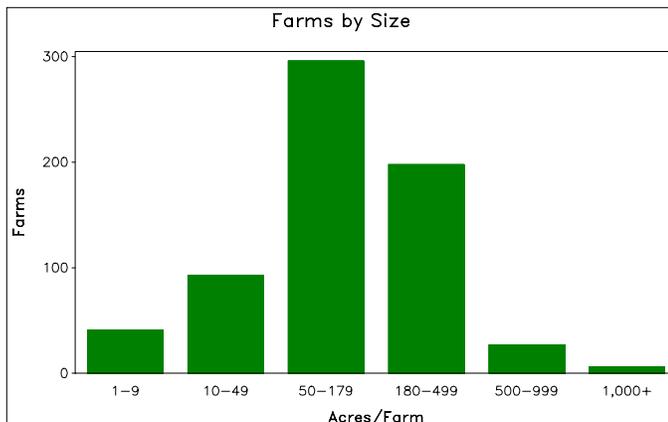
\$32,487 in 2002, \$33,886 in 1997, down 4 percent.

Government Payments

\$913,000 in 2002, \$102,000 in 1997, up 795 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$8,458 in 2002, \$1,517 in 1997, up 458 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	21,474	45	67	2,034	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,079	54	67	2,324	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	18,395	33	66	1,367	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	42	63	65	2,550	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	19	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	215	53	67	1,344	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	370	29	66	639	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	753	52	66	1,222	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	719	10	66	68	1,774
Other crops and hay	979	40	66	1,263	3,046
Poultry and eggs	51	46	66	1,461	2,918
Cattle and calves	2,296	42	66	2,074	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	15,667	26	65	266	2,493
Hogs and pigs	163	42	66	1,313	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	20	55	66	1,903	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	117	37	65	1,629	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	17,275	33	66	1,590	3,059
Quail	3,250	11	51	195	1,412
Layers 20 weeks old and older	2,567	42	67	921	2,983
Hogs and pigs	1,261	42	65	1,280	2,926
Sheep and lambs	1,081	36	67	917	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	39,422	17	66	496	3,059
Corn for silage	2,227	47	65	700	2,307
Corn for grain	472	62	66	1,998	2,592
Cut Christmas trees	437	32	66	214	1,877
Short-rotation woody crops	142	28	61	363	1,262

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	194	Farming	425
\$1,000 to \$2,499	99	Other	236
\$2,500 to \$4,999	82		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	66	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	Male	599
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Female	62
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	49		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	79	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	White	968
\$500,000 or more	-	Black or African American	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,916	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Average per farm (\$)	25,591	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,521	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	5,326	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	6

(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.