

AGRICULTURE WORKS HARD FOR

► GREEN COUNTY





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HOW MANY PEOPLE DOES AGRICULTURE EMPLOY? 6.046 jobs in the county

WHAT IS THE **ECONOMIC IMPACT?** in economic activity

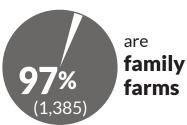
HOW MUCH TAX DOES AGRICULTURE CONTRIBUTE?

Farms pay million in sales tax, property tax & income tax

WHO TAKES CARE

OF THE LAND?

WHO OWNS THE FARMS?



HOW MUCH IS SOLD LOCALLY?



1,428 farms



292,368 acres

(78% of county total)

THE AGRICULTURE SECTOR BENEFITS THE ENTIRE COUNTY

Green County has the highest number of cheese manufacturing plants and the highest concentration of Master Cheesemakers in the state. The 11 cheese plants utilize milk from approximately 200 dairy farms to produce more than 60 varieties of award winning artisan cheeses. The 1,428 farms in the county are an average size of 205 acres. Green County ranks in the top fifteen counties in the production of corn, corn silage, hay/haylage. The county is home to one of Wisconsin's first ethanol plants, producing 85 million gallons of ethanol and over 255,000 tons of high value co-products annually.

Did you know?

GREEN COUNTY IS

No. 8 in Wisconsin's grain industry





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