



AGRICULTURE WORKS HARD FOR ▶ WOOD COUNTY

Family-owned farms, food processors and agriculture-related businesses generate thousands of jobs and millions of dollars of economic activity for Wood County, while contributing to local income and tax revenues.

Agriculture's annual impact:

WHAT DO OUR FARMS PRODUCE?



HOW MANY PEOPLE DOES AGRICULTURE EMPLOY?



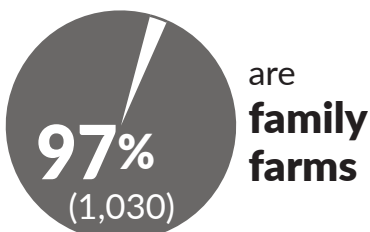
WHAT IS THE ECONOMIC IMPACT?



HOW MUCH TAX DOES AGRICULTURE CONTRIBUTE?



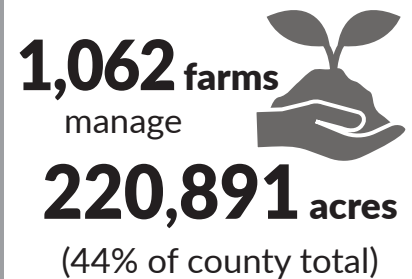
WHO OWNS THE FARMS?



HOW MUCH IS SOLD LOCALLY?



WHO TAKES CARE OF THE LAND?



THE AGRICULTURE SECTOR BENEFITS THE ENTIRE COUNTY

In the state’s center, Wood County agriculture is a vital mix of several sectors important to Wisconsin’s economy. Dairy is predominant in the north and is the largest source of agricultural income. Wisconsin’s leading cranberry and fruit county, the state leads the nation in cranberry production. The county has significant agriculture processing infrastructure. Five cheese plants, three cheese processors, one fluid milk processor, three cranberry receiving stations and several cranberry processors provide added value.

Did you know?

WOOD COUNTY IS
No. 1 in Wisconsin’s fruit,
nuts & berries industry



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