



AGRICULTURE WORKS HARD FOR ▶ MARQUETTE COUNTY

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

Agriculture's annual impact:

WHAT DO OUR FARMS PRODUCE?



HOW MANY PEOPLE DOES AGRICULTURE EMPLOY?



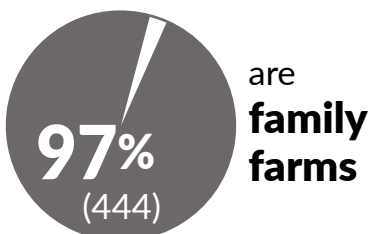
WHAT IS THE ECONOMIC IMPACT?



HOW MUCH TAX DOES AGRICULTURE CONTRIBUTE?



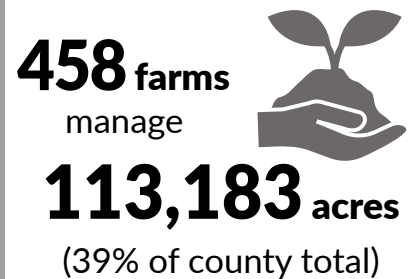
WHO OWNS THE FARMS?



HOW MUCH IS SOLD LOCALLY?



WHO TAKES CARE OF THE LAND?



THE AGRICULTURE SECTOR BENEFITS THE ENTIRE COUNTY

Located in the Central Sands region of Wisconsin, Marquette County has a diversity of agricultural communities and practices. Marquette County agriculture ranges from primarily small-scale livestock and dairy farms to cash cropping, vegetable production, and Christmas tree farming. It has also historically been one of the top counties in the state for mint oil production. Sales of agricultural products are split evenly between livestock and crops. Managed rotational grazing is a key practice for the success of many livestock farmers in Marquette County. Well-known for its abundant lakes, rivers, and woodlands, Marquette County offers unique recreational opportunities for the whole family.

Did you know?

MARQUETTE COUNTY IS
No. 7 in Wisconsin's
vegetables industry



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