

# 399631 JOBS IN AGRICULTURE



- 20% OF RESIDENTS EMPLOYED BY AG AND AG-RELATED INDUSTRIES
- \$39.7 BILLION TOTAL VALUE-ADDED FROM AG
- \$22.2 BILLION IN WAGES FROM AG
- \$121.1 BILLION IN TOTAL AG SALES

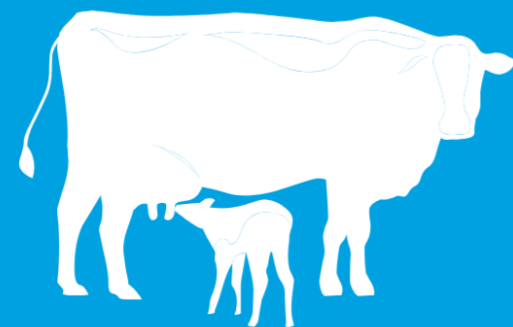
AVERAGE FARM SIZE  
= 355 ACRES



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- MARKET VALUE OF LIVESTOCK SOLD = \$15.8 BILLION
- 2,156,370 CATTLE SOLD FOR SLAUGHTER
- 3,595,241 CATTLE & CALVES SOLD
- 1,644,497 CATTLE ON FEED
- 60,292,876 HOGS SOLD
- 22,730,540 HOGS
- 4,793,219 TURKEYS
- 56,554,774 LAYERS



9%  
JOBS IN  
LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION

5% JOBS IN CROP PRODUCTION

- MARKET VALUE OF CROPS = \$11.1 BILLION
- 12,969,645 ACRES OF CORN
- AVERAGE CORN YIELD PER ACRE = 199 BUSHELS
- 9,949,724 ACRES OF SOYBEANS
- AVERAGE SOYBEAN YIELD PER ACRE = 56 BUSHELS

