# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture Arkansas Agricultural Statistics Service



# GARLAND ARKANSAS

Land in farms

Increased 2 percent from 42,794 acres in 1992 to 43,471 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 5 percent from 115 acres in 1992 to 121 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Increased 13 percent from 107 farms in 1992 to 121 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

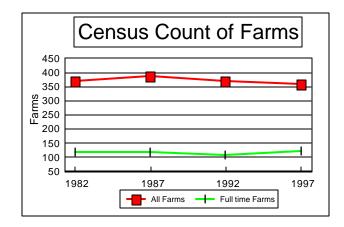
Increased 208 percent to \$25,478,000 in 1997.

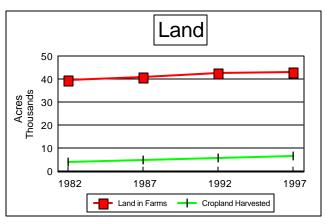
Crop sales accounted for 6 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 94 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 218 percent from \$22,287 in 1992 to \$70,772 in 1997.





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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

		2	State	U.	s.
Item	Quantity	Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	25,478	59	75	1,902	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	23,885	38	75	1,079	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	1,593	48	75	2,592	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Poultry & poultry products	20,539	33	67	272	2,901
Cattle and calves	1,670	51	75	2,279	3,063
Nursery and greenhouse crops	1,477	6	70	817	2,790
Horses and ponies	962	2	75	109	3,015
Dairy products	396	31	59	1,850	2,563
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	19	60	202	2,203
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	22	73	772	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	4,761	50	75	2,201	3,063
Horses and ponies sold	103	19	75	890	3,015
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	35	51	1,351	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Pullets less than 13 weeks inventory	(D)	5	47	61	1,790
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	212,168	20	71	286	3,002
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	(D)	28	57	376	2,549
Cattle and calves inventory	9,496	49	75	2,193	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	(D)	27	72	1,298	3,005
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	6,876	49	75	2,045	3,061
Field seeds-acres	50	18	24	708	1,212
Sorghum for silage-acres	(D)	16	25	806	1,323
Land in orchards-acres	(D)	54	72	1,750	2,693
Corn for silage-acres	(D)	19	23	2,389	2,473

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

## Other County Summary Highlights

			Percent	
Item	1997	1992	Change	
Farms by value of sales:				
Less than \$10,000	278	290	-4	
\$10,000 or more	82	81	1	
Total farm production expenses\$1,000	9,562	7,190	33	
Average per farmdollars	26,560	19,327	37	
Net cash return from agricultural sales				
for the farm unit\$1,000	15,484	1,003	1444	
Average per farmdollars	43,010	2,697	1495	
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family	321	339	-5	
Partnership or corporation	38	30	27	
Other	1	2	-50	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS				
Operators by principal occupation:				
Farming	121	107	13	
Other	239	264	-9	
Operators by sex:				
Male	338	345	-2	
Female	22	26	-15	
Operators by race:				
White	358	368	-3	
Black and other races	2	3	-33	
Average age of operator	54.4	54.9	-1	

<sup>(</sup>D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

\* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

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