

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture  
Arkansas Agricultural Statistics Service



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### Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 251,710 acres in 1992 to 262,827 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Increased 5 percent from 341 acres in 1992 to 359 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased 10 percent from 422 farms in 1992 to 381 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

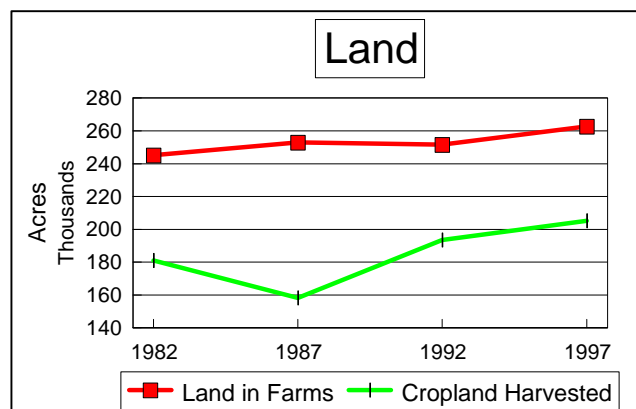
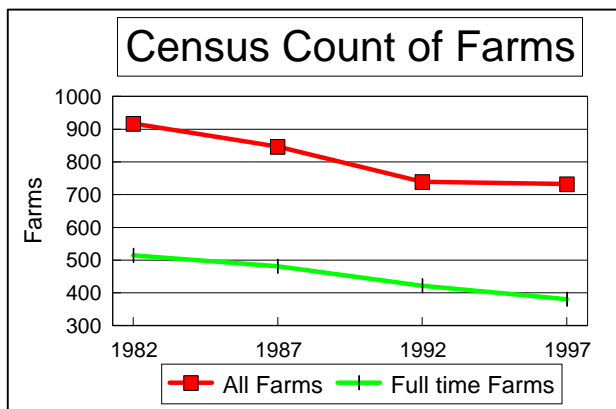
Increased 26 percent to \$63,989,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 94 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 6 percent of the market value.

### Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 27 percent from \$68,591 in 1992 to \$87,297 in 1997.



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### Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	63,989	37	75	913	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	59,873	20	75	424	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	4,116	59	75	2,448	3,069
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
All other grains: rye, drybeans, etc	26,822	11	48	21	1,971
Soybeans	16,382	20	55	374	2,136
Cotton, cottonseed	9,790	17	31	152	709
Corn for grain	3,302	5	53	945	2,582
Aquaculture	(D)	9	54	74	1,505
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves sold	4,353	53	75	2,262	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	732	40	73	1,913	2,976
Horses and ponies sold	137	12	75	644	3,015
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	32	39	825	1,593
Sheep and lambs sold	69	22	53	2,146	2,765
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves inventory	8,660	51	75	2,266	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	470	41	72	1,901	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	445	38	75	1,750	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	220	58	71	2,261	3,002
Sheep and lamb inventory	114	24	59	2,111	2,864
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Soybeans for beans-acres	99,706	20	55	210	2,144
Rice-acres	56,341	11	42	20	153
Cotton-acres	22,429	15	32	162	713
Corn for grain-acres	12,250	3	56	1,001	2,691
Wheat-acres	11,239	21	55	724	2,612

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

### Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>			
Less than \$10,000 .....	370	321	15
\$10,000 or more .....	363	418	-13
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	37,713	35,902	5
Average per farm .....dollars..	51,381	48,582	6
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	21,337	11,720	82
Average per farm .....dollars..	29,070	15,859	83
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	625	629	-1
Partnership or corporation .....	102	106	-4
Other .....	6	4	50
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	381	422	-10
Other .....	352	317	11
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	694	713	-3
Female .....	39	26	50
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	732	739	-1
Black and other races .....	1	-	
Average age of operator .....	52.0	50.3	3

(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.