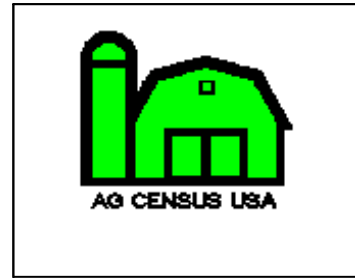


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Land in farms

Decreased 4 percent from 30,196 acres in 1992 to 28,900 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 11 percent from 131 acres in 1992 to 116 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Unchanged from 105 farms in 1992 to 105 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

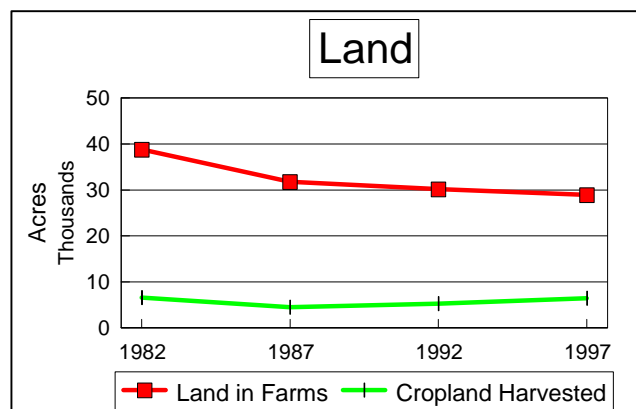
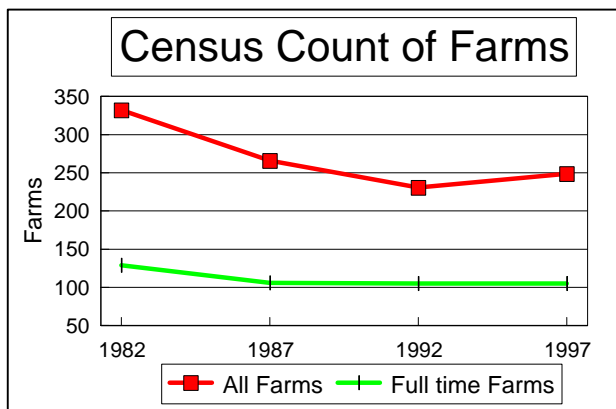
Increased 21 percent to \$14,410,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 24 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 76 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 12 percent from \$51,750 in 1992 to \$57,871 in 1997.



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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	14,410	67	75	2,329	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	11,019	48	75	1,786	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	3,391	38	75	2,312	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Poultry & poultry products	10,126	39	67	435	2,901
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	3,123	1	71	265	2,739
Cattle and calves	831	60	75	2,617	3,063
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	155	48	75	2,493	3,043
Soybeans	(D)	49	55	1,808	2,136
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	4,164,416	37	58	290	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	382,226	22	60	218	2,203
Cattle and calves sold	2,605	59	75	2,545	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	26	51	995	2,200
All goats sold	43	29	62	1,540	2,686
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	577,508	38	64	308	2,620
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	154,045	24	71	336	3,002
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	81,975	17	57	170	2,549
Pullets less than 13 weeks inventory	(D)	24	47	261	1,790
Cattle and calves inventory	5,359	60	75	2,539	3,064
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	5,168	54	75	2,259	3,061
Land used for vegetables-acres	706	8	71	557	2,741
Soybeans for beans-acres	(D)	49	55	1,812	2,144
Wheat-acres	(D)	43	55	2,147	2,612
Rice-acres	(D)	40	42	142	153

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	160	134	19
\$10,000 or more	89	97	-8
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	11,034	8,545	29
Average per farmdollars..	44,315	36,992	20
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	2,176	4,211	-48
Average per farmdollars..	8,740	18,227	-52
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	234	220	6
Partnership or corporation	15	11	36
Other			
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	105	105	
Other	144	126	14
Operators by sex:			
Male	228	213	7
Female	21	18	17
Operators by race:			
White	245	226	8
Black and other races	4	5	-20
Average age of operator	55.1	56.2	-2

(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.