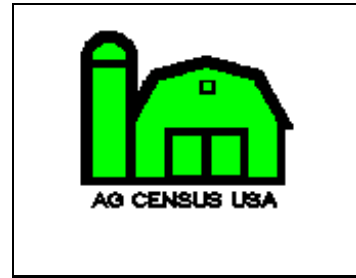


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Land in farms

Increased 15 percent from 44,470 acres in 1992 to 50,967 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 15 percent from 283 acres in 1992 to 325 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 11 percent from 72 farms in 1992 to 64 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

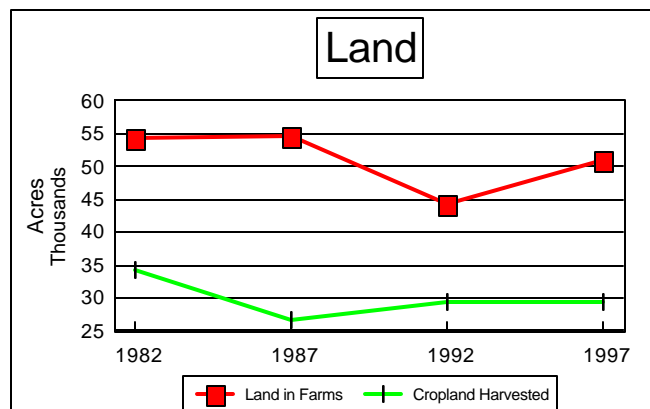
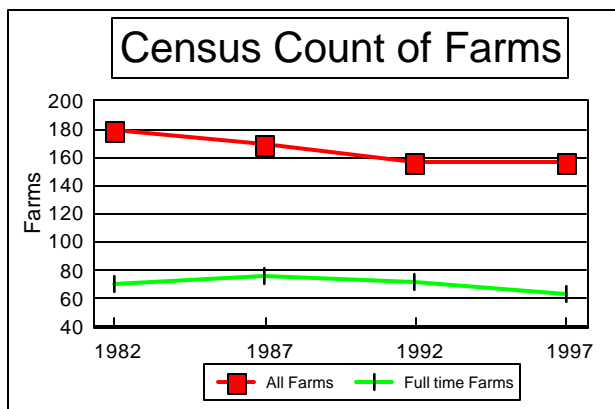
Increased 46 percent to \$30,528,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 83 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 17 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 46 percent from \$132,952 in 1992 to \$194,444 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	30,528	56	159	1,704	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	25,383	29	159	1,081	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	5,144	88	159	2,348	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Fruits, nuts, berries	20,771	1	153	83	2,547
Dairy products	4,370	13	117	688	2,563
Nursery and greenhouse crops	1,786	33	149	739	2,790
Cotton, cottonseed	1,388	62	99	356	709
Cattle and calves	622	118	159	2,710	3,063
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	2,383	100	159	2,585	3,063
All goats sold	85	57	145	1,008	2,686
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	128	149	2,733	2,976
Horses and ponies sold	12	97	145	2,681	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	2,844	125	159	2,759	3,064
All goat inventory	340	32	157	717	2,983
Horse and pony inventory	151	85	159	2,716	3,066
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	60	126	1,875	2,884
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	43	115	148	2,838	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Land in orchards-acres	17,798	2	156	53	2,693
Cotton-acres	4,149	58	99	345	713
Soybeans for beans-acres	2,788	40	123	1,328	2,144
Wheat-acres	2,771	29	135	1,300	2,612
Hay crops-acres	1,947	108	159	2,722	3,061

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	89	99	-10
\$10,000 or more	68	58	17
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	14,852	17,682	-16
Average per farmdollars..	94,001	112,625	-17
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	15,758	3,158	399
Average per farmdollars..	99,731	20,116	396
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	120	131	-8
Partnership or corporation	36	24	50
Other	1	2	-50
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	64	72	-11
Other	93	85	9
Operators by sex:			
Male	141	143	-1
Female	16	14	14
Operators by race:			
White	141	141	
Black and other races	16	16	
Average age of operator	55.3	53.4	4

(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.