

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile



United States Department of Agriculture
Idaho Agricultural Statistics Service

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Land in farms

Decreased slightly from 132,429 acres in 1992 to 131,473 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 7 percent from 439 acres in 1992 to 468 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 17 percent from 233 farms in 1992 to 194 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

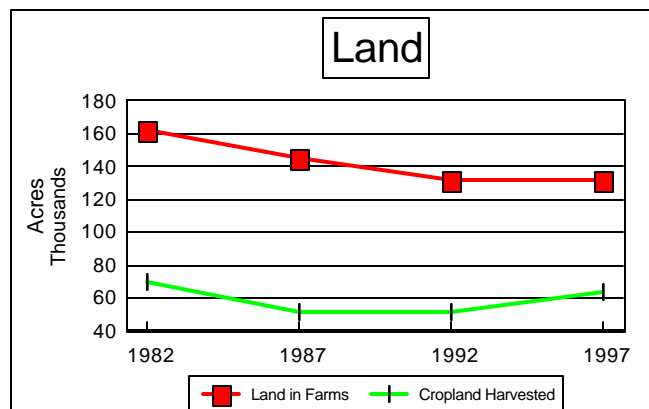
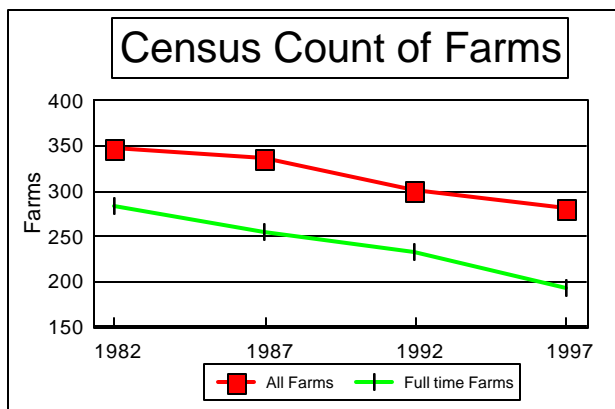
Increased 15 percent to \$43,896,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 61 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 39 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 24 percent from \$126,350 in 1992 to \$156,215 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	43,896	18	44	1,335	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	26,832	20	44	1,037	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	17,065	18	44	1,401	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Other crops: potatoes, peanuts, etc	(D)	15	38	92	2,237
Dairy products	10,073	12	39	375	2,563
Cattle and calves	6,760	27	44	1,224	3,063
Wheat	5,069	20	42	367	2,578
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	3,454	20	44	197	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	15,661	24	44	1,209	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	5	32	435	2,200
Hogs and pigs sold	693	13	42	1,931	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	552	33	43	1,175	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	35	38	44	1,999	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	36,422	17	44	915	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	856	10	43	1,669	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	777	32	44	1,040	3,066
Sheep and lamb inventory	764	33	43	1,139	2,864
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	20	42	1,559	2,884
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	21,172	27	44	981	3,061
Wheat-acres	16,665	23	42	591	2,612
Sugarbeets, sugar-acres	9,634	9	17	44	199
Barley-acres	8,240	23	43	148	1,411
Potatoes-acres	4,147	18	37	61	1,733

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	87	87	
\$10,000 or more	194	215	-10
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	35,283	32,172	10
Average per farmdollars..	125,563	106,529	18
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	7,156	6,508	10
Average per farmdollars..	25,467	21,549	18
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	235	260	-10
Partnership or corporation	40	42	-5
Other	6	-	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	194	233	-17
Other	87	69	26
Operators by sex:			
Male	265	287	-8
Female	16	15	7
Operators by race:			
White	276	291	-5
Black and other races	5	11	-55
Average age of operator	52.9	50.7	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.