

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Idaho Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Decreased 7 percent from 4,428 acres in 1992 to 4,100 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 11 percent from 105 acres in 1992 to 93 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

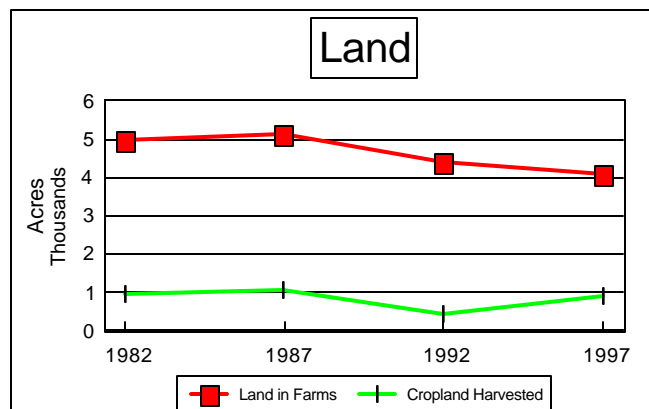
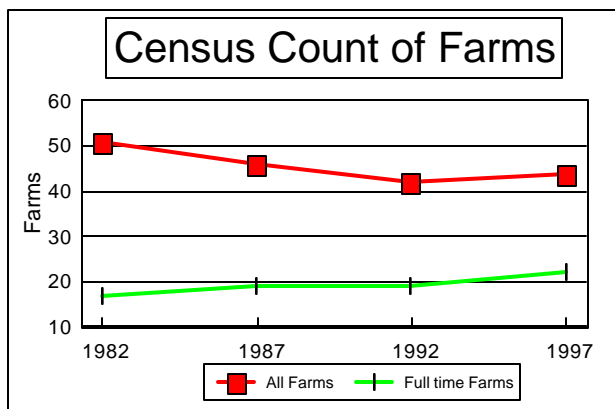
Increased 16 percent from 19 farms in 1992 to 22 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 8 percent to \$388,000 in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 3 percent from \$8,546 in 1992 to \$8,809 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	388	44	44	3,031	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	(D)	44	44	2,947	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	(D)	44	44	3,034	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Nursery and greenhouse crops	(D)	29	41	1,668	2,790
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	53	44	44	2,815	3,043
Cattle and calves	(D)	44	44	3,012	3,063
Horses and ponies	(D)	40	44	2,415	3,015
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(D)	41	43	2,166	2,787
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	(D)	44	44	3,022	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	(D)	41	43	2,215	2,765
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	17	27	1,848	2,203
Horses and ponies sold	24	40	44	2,340	3,015
Mules, burros, and donkeys sold	(D)	5	29	511	1,580
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Horse and pony inventory	210	43	44	2,558	3,066
Cattle and calves inventory	207	44	44	3,027	3,064
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	134	32	42	2,514	3,002
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	112	30	42	1,930	2,884
Sheep and lamb inventory	(D)	42	43	2,356	2,864
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	852	44	44	2,897	3,061
All nursery-acres	(D)	28	40	1,497	2,619
Total berries-acres	(D)	19	25	1,839	2,058

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	41	37	11
\$10,000 or more	3	5	-40
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	537	427	26
Average per farmdollars..	12,209	10,162	20
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	(150)	(68)	-121
Average per farmdollars..	(3,400)	(1,616)	-110
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	37	39	-5
Partnership or corporation	3	2	50
Other	4	1	300
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	22	19	16
Other	22	23	-4
Operators by sex:			
Male	38	38	
Female	6	4	50
Operators by race:			
White	44	42	5
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	58.4	57.9	1

(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.