

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Idaho Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Decreased 34 percent from 150,021 acres in 1992 to 98,662 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 37 percent from 315 acres in 1992 to 197 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 6 percent from 232 farms in 1992 to 217 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

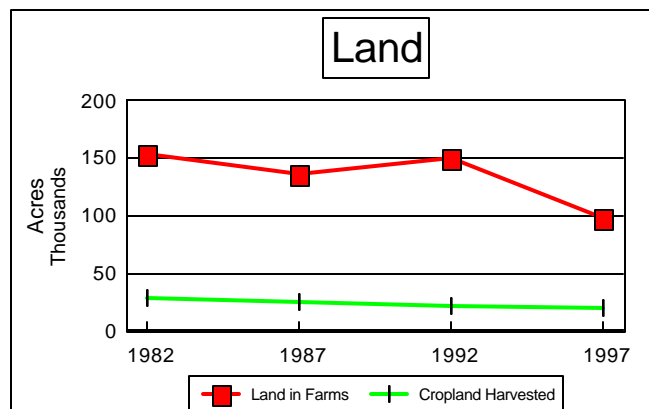
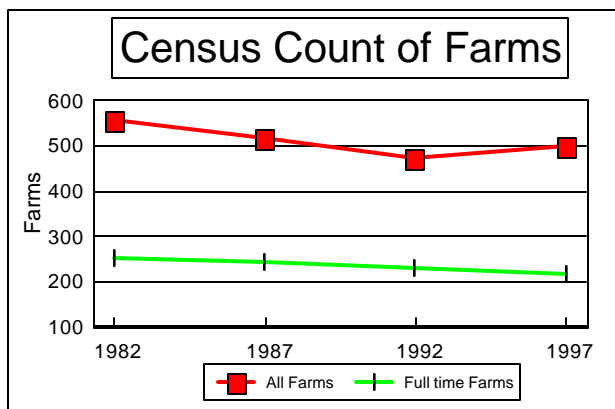
Increased 21 percent to \$7,269,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 55 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 45 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 15 percent from \$12,657 in 1992 to \$14,509 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	7,269	41	44	2,649	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	4,026	36	44	2,237	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	3,243	35	44	2,562	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Nursery and greenhouse crops	3,275	5	41	534	2,790
Cattle and calves	2,131	36	44	2,117	3,063
Dairy products	666	28	39	1,605	2,563
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	642	40	44	1,381	3,043
Horses and ponies	196	18	44	826	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	5,049	36	44	2,164	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	785	30	43	959	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	138	16	44	637	3,015
Hogs and pigs sold	136	26	42	2,498	2,976
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	19	32	1,494	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	9,210	36	44	2,218	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	1,581	15	44	334	3,066
Sheep and lamb inventory	1,117	26	43	870	2,864
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	22	34	477	2,588
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	509	10	42	1,669	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	18,117	29	44	1,129	3,061
All nursery-acres	1,308	6	40	223	2,619
Cut christmas trees harvested-acres	624	1	19	34	1,965
Oats-acres	478	11	43	997	2,332
Wheat-acres	(D)	40	42	2,127	2,612

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	381	368	4
\$10,000 or more	120	108	11
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	7,037	5,054	39
Average per farmdollars..	14,018	10,595	32
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	(455)	(293)	-55
Average per farmdollars..	(906)	(615)	-47
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	449	436	3
Partnership or corporation	49	37	32
Other	3	3	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	217	232	-6
Other	284	244	16
Operators by sex:			
Male	406	403	1
Female	95	73	30
Operators by race:			
White	497	475	5
Black and other races	4	1	300
Average age of operator	55.8	55.0	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.