

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Illinois Agricultural Statistics Service



CUMBERLAND ILLINOIS

Land in farms

Decreased 4 percent from 176,012 acres in 1992 to 169,773 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 14 percent from 273 acres in 1992 to 310 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 21 percent from 344 farms in 1992 to 273 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

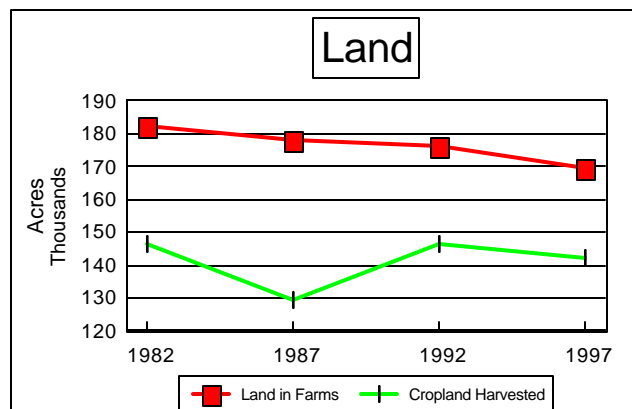
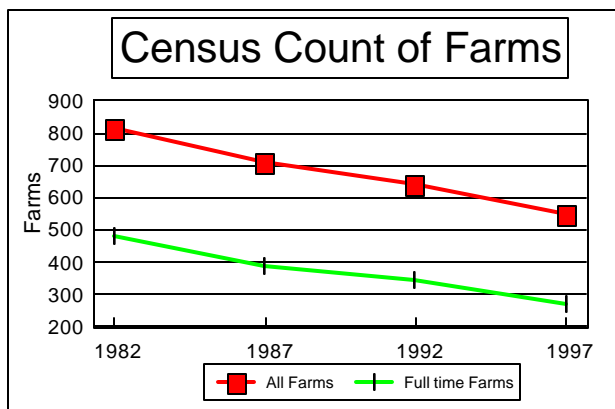
Increased 6 percent to \$53,864,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 67 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 33 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 25 percent from \$78,810 in 1992 to \$98,472 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	53,864	68	102	1,111	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	36,162	75	102	805	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	17,703	44	102	1,369	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Corn for grain	18,372	66	102	370	2,582
Soybeans	15,430	71	102	391	2,136
Hogs and pigs	10,524	34	102	314	2,976
Dairy products	4,238	16	92	695	2,563
Cattle and calves	2,820	56	102	1,900	3,063
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	95,335	33	102	346	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	4,924	57	102	2,183	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	234	64	100	1,644	2,765
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	21	58	679	1,593
Horses and ponies sold	45	55	102	1,770	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Hogs and pigs inventory	41,263	38	102	356	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	9,803	55	102	2,169	3,064
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	320	69	101	2,012	3,002
Horse and pony inventory	294	69	102	2,231	3,066
Sheep and lamb inventory	219	74	101	1,818	2,864
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Corn for grain-acres	67,419	71	102	384	2,691
Soybeans for beans-acres	63,990	72	102	416	2,144
Wheat-acres	5,936	44	102	982	2,612
Hay crops-acres	4,819	66	102	2,306	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	1,128	32	99	984	2,473

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	168	186	-10
\$10,000 or more	379	459	-17
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	36,210	31,116	16
Average per farmdollars..	66,319	48,242	37
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	16,222	15,619	4
Average per farmdollars..	29,710	24,216	23
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	466	565	-18
Partnership or corporation	76	76	
Other	5	4	25
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	273	344	-21
Other	274	301	-9
Operators by sex:			
Male	529	618	-14
Female	18	27	-33
Operators by race:			
White	546	643	-15
Black and other races	1	2	-50
Average age of operator	51.6	49.8	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.