

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Decreased 4 percent from 302,849 acres in 1992 to 290,557 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 5 percent from 388 acres in 1992 to 369 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 13 percent from 437 farms in 1992 to 379 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

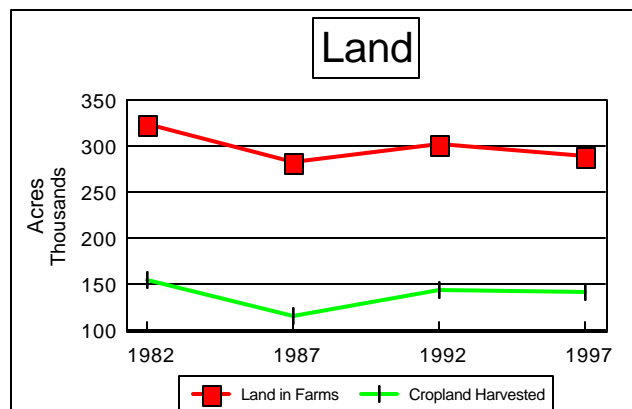
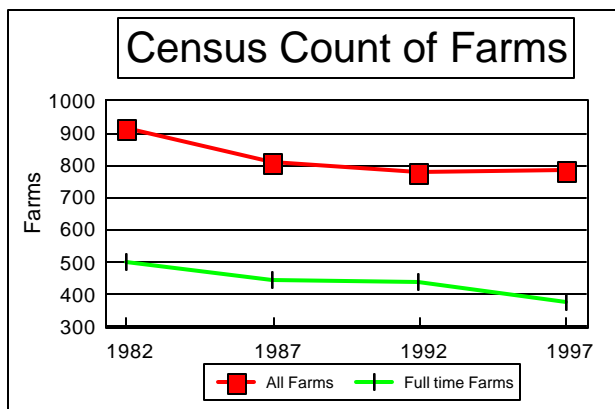
Increased 5 percent to \$35,206,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 66 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 34 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 4 percent from \$43,010 in 1992 to \$44,735 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	35,206	87	105	1,565	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	23,245	63	105	1,141	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	11,961	95	105	1,719	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Soybeans	11,542	12	104	502	2,136
Cattle and calves	10,515	91	105	855	3,063
Grain sorghum	3,987	39	105	85	1,275
Corn for grain	3,369	57	105	935	2,582
Wheat	3,007	82	105	532	2,578
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	22,045	88	105	891	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	9	76	238	2,200
Hogs and pigs sold	1,628	86	105	1,635	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	352	66	105	1,441	2,765
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	6	43	511	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	41,295	65	105	791	3,064
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	6	102	125	2,884
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	4	66	388	2,588
Hogs and pigs inventory	1,256	85	105	1,505	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	547	37	105	1,483	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	63,365	8	104	418	2,144
Sorghum for grain-acres	24,815	48	105	109	1,508
Hay crops-acres	24,432	41	105	837	3,061
Wheat-acres	21,952	80	105	506	2,612
Corn for grain-acres	14,938	51	105	915	2,691

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	393	357	10
\$10,000 or more	394	423	-7
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	24,029	24,781	-3
Average per farmdollars..	30,571	31,811	-4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	9,747	8,457	15
Average per farmdollars..	12,401	10,856	14
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	726	721	1
Partnership or corporation	55	58	-5
Other	6	1	500
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	379	437	-13
Other	408	343	19
Operators by sex:			
Male	734	739	-1
Female	53	41	29
Operators by race:			
White	779	775	1
Black and other races	8	5	60
Average age of operator	54.3	54.2	0

(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.