

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture  
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### Land in farms

Increased 2 percent from 745,371 acres in 1992 to 761,443 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Decreased 6 percent from 1,550 acres in 1992 to 1,464 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased slightly from 362 farms in 1992 to 359 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

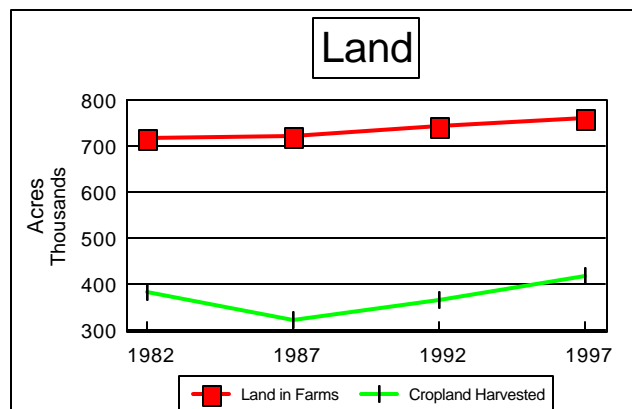
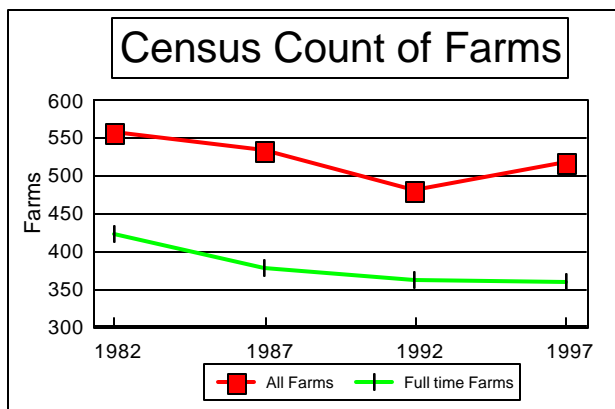
Increased 43 percent to \$479,824,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 22 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 78 percent of the market value.

### Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 32 percent from \$696,603 in 1992 to \$922,739 in 1997.



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### Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	479,824	1	105	33	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	375,703	2	105	20	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	104,121	1	105	127	3,070
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
Cattle and calves	374,833	2	105	8	3,063
Corn for grain	44,552	4	105	79	2,582
Wheat	24,991	8	105	47	2,578
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	24,254	1	105	21	3,043
Grain sorghum	6,781	23	105	44	1,275
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves sold	511,626	2	105	8	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold (D)		5	76	168	2,200
Hogs and pigs sold	4,095	75	105	1,302	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	225	76	105	1,665	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	50	45	105	1,648	3,015
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves inventory	279,057	1	105	14	3,064
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory (D)		2	102	82	2,884
Hogs and pigs inventory	2,461	73	105	1,260	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	350	72	104	1,594	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	343	57	105	2,070	3,066
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Wheat-acres	200,643	8	105	62	2,612
Corn for grain-acres	102,705	3	105	202	2,691
Hay crops-acres	56,538	4	105	207	3,061
Sorghum for grain-acres	46,628	22	105	46	1,508
Soybeans for beans-acres	5,955	59	104	1,157	2,144

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

### Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>			
Less than \$10,000 .....	119	83	43
\$10,000 or more .....	401	398	1
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	405,296	291,373	39
Average per farm .....dollars..	779,416	604,508	29
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	73,134	46,115	59
Average per farm .....dollars..	140,643	95,675	47
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	375	353	6
Partnership or corporation .....	128	123	4
Other .....	17	5	240
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	359	362	-1
Other .....	161	119	35
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	486	460	6
Female .....	34	21	62
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	509	476	7
Black and other races .....	11	5	120
Average age of operator .....	51.7	50.7	2

(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.