

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service



GRAHAM KANSAS

Land in farms

Decreased 5 percent from 512,728 acres in 1992 to 485,646 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased slightly from 1,282 acres in 1992 to 1,271 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 15 percent from 288 farms in 1992 to 245 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

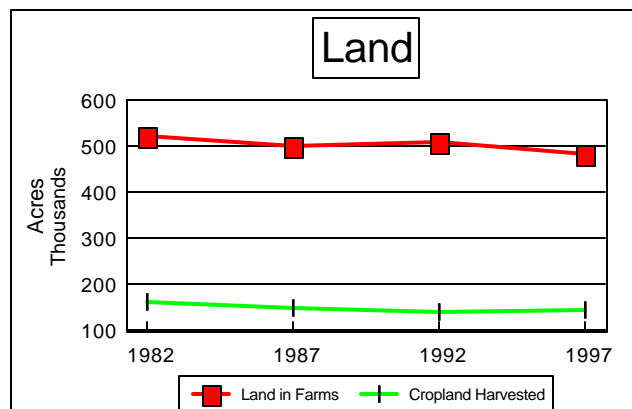
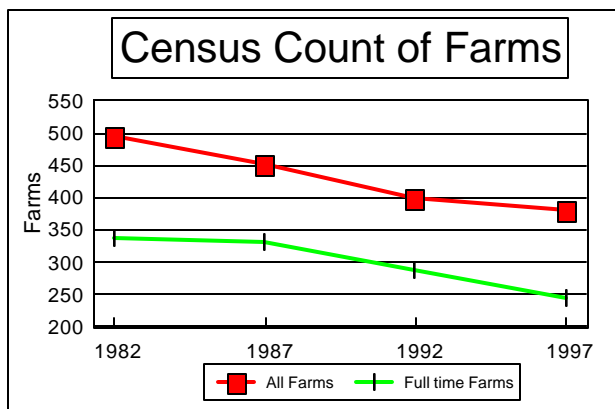
Increased 8 percent to \$41,736,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 45 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 55 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 13 percent from \$97,020 in 1992 to \$109,256 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	41,736	70	105	1,389	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	22,867	61	105	1,118	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	18,868	81	105	1,303	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	20,888	53	105	381	3,063
Wheat	10,127	57	105	221	2,578
Corn for grain	3,993	48	105	886	2,582
Grain sorghum	3,574	46	105	97	1,275
Hogs and pigs	1,513	41	105	897	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	35,565	57	105	494	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	10,538	49	105	1,011	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	172	83	105	1,791	2,765
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	43	76	1,227	2,200
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	13	43	1,025	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	40,565	70	105	806	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	6,507	45	105	945	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	263	78	104	1,739	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	194	93	105	2,603	3,066
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	185	49	102	1,625	2,884
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	90,251	57	105	210	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	26,524	43	105	98	1,508
Corn for grain-acres	17,463	45	105	865	2,691
Hay crops-acres	11,828	82	105	1,524	3,061
Sorghum forage, hay-acres	1,969	3	83	5	382

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	106	104	2
\$10,000 or more	276	296	-7
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	30,614	29,344	4
Average per farmdollars..	79,931	73,361	9
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	11,294	9,688	17
Average per farmdollars..	29,488	24,221	22
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	329	355	-7
Partnership or corporation	45	40	13
Other	8	5	60
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	245	288	-15
Other	137	112	22
Operators by sex:			
Male	350	375	-7
Female	32	25	28
Operators by race:			
White	377	392	-4
Black and other races	5	8	-38
Average age of operator	53.3	53.7	-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.