

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 419,423 acres in 1992 to 435,349 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 5 percent from 1,451 acres in 1992 to 1,517 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 3 percent from 200 farms in 1992 to 194 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

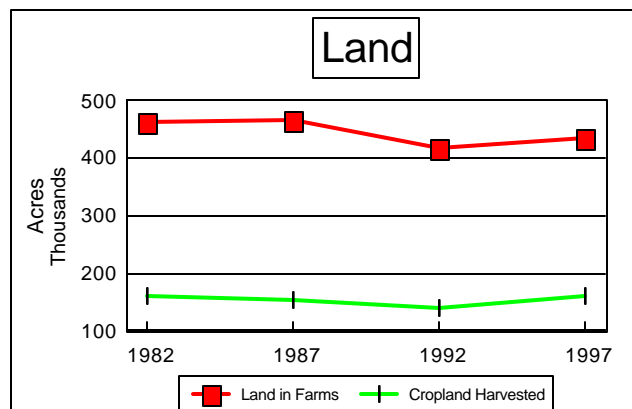
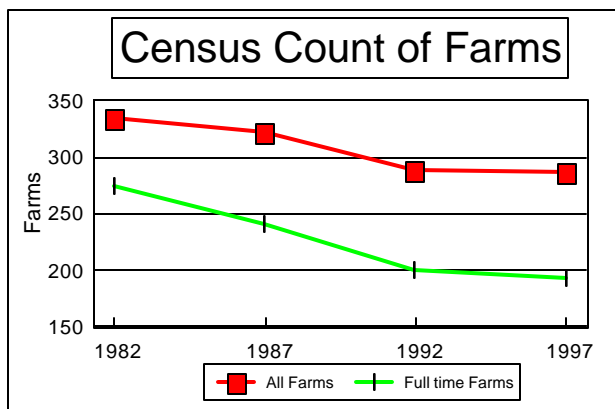
Increased 7 percent to \$134,362,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 16 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 84 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 8 percent from \$433,222 in 1992 to \$468,159 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	134,362	14	105	303	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	112,541	12	105	151	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	21,821	68	105	1,193	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	112,365	12	105	47	3,063
Wheat	14,392	33	105	136	2,578
Grain sorghum	3,138	54	105	113	1,275
Corn for grain	2,885	60	105	993	2,582
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	872	77	105	1,071	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	147,327	12	105	62	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	628	96	105	1,975	2,976
Horses and ponies sold	97	17	105	953	3,015
Sheep and lambs sold	(D)	100	105	2,484	2,765
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	24	43	1,399	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	86,511	18	105	205	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	370	96	105	1,992	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	207	90	105	2,566	3,066
Broiler inventory	(D)	57	85	1,904	2,620
Rabbit inventory	46	21	77	1,160	2,456
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	125,269	29	105	140	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	20,570	58	105	131	1,508
Corn for grain-acres	10,076	66	105	1,084	2,691
Hay crops-acres	2,557	103	105	2,632	3,061
Sunflower seed-acres	2,147	13	89	130	674

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	52	70	-26
\$10,000 or more	235	219	7
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	112,514	114,155	-1
Average per farmdollars..	392,036	395,002	-1
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	20,822	11,370	83
Average per farmdollars..	72,551	39,343	84
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	234	240	-3
Partnership or corporation	47	47	
Other	6	2	200
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	194	200	-3
Other	93	89	4
Operators by sex:			
Male	266	267	-0
Female	21	22	-5
Operators by race:			
White	287	289	-1
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	54.2	52.1	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.