

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service



LINCOLN KANSAS

Land in farms

Decreased 11 percent from 482,434 acres in 1992 to 427,554 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased slightly from 944 acres in 1992 to 942 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 21 percent from 400 farms in 1992 to 318 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

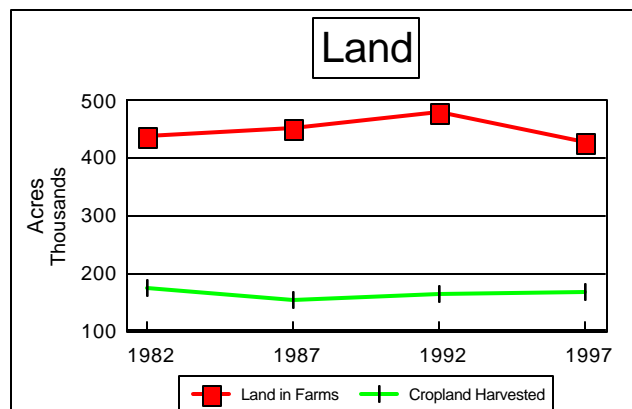
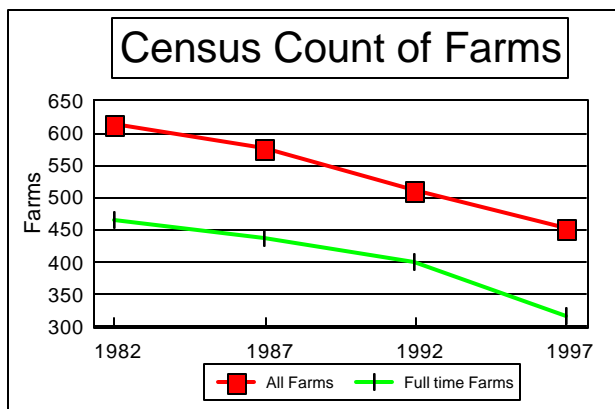
Increased 7 percent to \$34,411,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 68 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 32 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 20 percent from \$62,952 in 1992 to \$75,796 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	34,411	89	105	1,589	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	23,338	60	105	1,136	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	11,073	99	105	1,781	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Wheat	15,234	30	105	125	2,578
Cattle and calves	10,382	92	105	864	3,063
Grain sorghum	5,135	28	105	65	1,275
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	1,782	31	105	463	3,043
All other grains: rye, drybeans, etc	503	10	99	409	1,971
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	20,931	91	105	935	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	2,607	81	105	1,463	2,976
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	19	76	563	2,200
Sheep and lambs sold	629	49	105	1,110	2,765
All goats sold	(D)	30	86	1,831	2,686
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	35,683	80	105	942	3,064
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	9	102	265	2,884
Hogs and pigs inventory	904	88	105	1,649	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	675	52	104	1,215	2,864
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	7	66	596	2,588
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	100,765	49	105	191	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	34,977	32	105	69	1,508
Hay crops-acres	26,970	39	105	751	3,061
Sunflower seed-acres	3,080	9	89	113	674
Sorghum for silage-acres	2,135	16	104	30	1,323

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	114	121	-6
\$10,000 or more	340	390	-13
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	23,637	25,486	-7
Average per farmdollars..	52,064	49,973	4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	10,294	5,622	83
Average per farmdollars..	22,675	11,023	106
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	392	452	-13
Partnership or corporation	57	58	-2
Other	5	1	400
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	318	400	-21
Other	136	111	23
Operators by sex:			
Male	436	495	-12
Female	18	16	13
Operators by race:			
White	454	511	-11
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	54.8	54.8	

(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.