

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture  
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### Land in farms

Decreased 5 percent from 582,053 acres in 1992 to 554,603 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Increased 4 percent from 1,064 acres in 1992 to 1,107 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased 17 percent from 405 farms in 1992 to 336 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

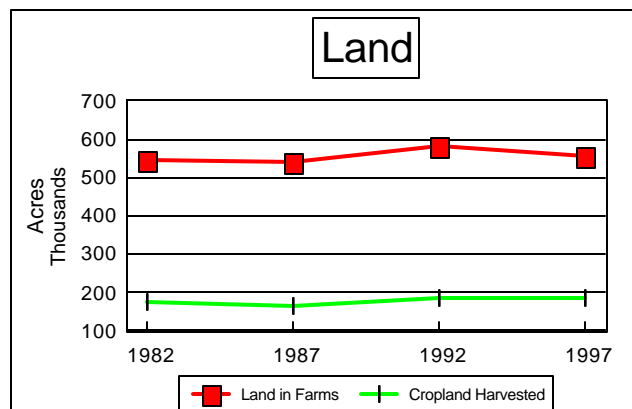
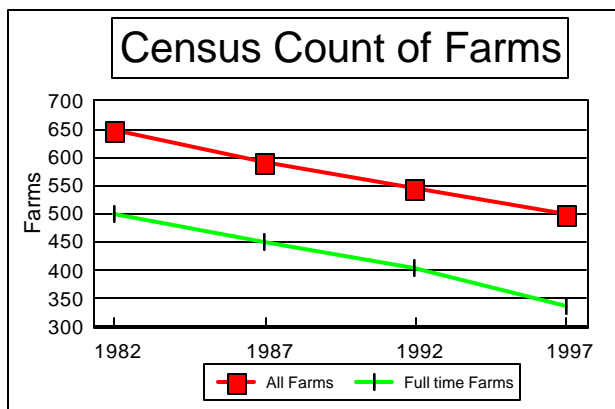
Decreased 2 percent to \$44,760,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 52 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 48 percent of the market value.

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

Increased 7 percent from \$83,837 in 1992 to \$89,340 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	44,760	68	105	1,316	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	23,249	62	105	1,140	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	21,511	68	105	1,167	3,069
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
Cattle and calves	14,940	70	105	600	3,063
Wheat	11,671	51	105	189	2,578
Hogs and pigs	5,908	13	105	477	2,976
Corn for grain	4,738	40	105	823	2,582
Grain sorghum	4,724	34	105	73	1,275
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs sold	47,573	21	105	536	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	31,167	63	105	609	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	2,875	7	105	353	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	58	40	105	1,491	3,015
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	44	60	1,790	2,203
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves inventory	54,539	44	105	530	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	26,794	17	105	492	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	1,460	20	104	704	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	608	28	105	1,315	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	352	59	104	1,948	3,002
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Wheat-acres	101,598	48	105	188	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	36,449	31	105	67	1,508
Hay crops-acres	24,052	45	105	858	3,061
Corn for grain-acres	18,215	42	105	855	2,691
Sorghum for silage-acres	3,031	6	104	16	1,323

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 .....	127	136	-7
\$10,000 or more .....	374	411	-9
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	33,423	34,718	-4
Average per farm .....dollars..	66,712	63,469	5
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	12,438	10,673	17
Average per farm .....dollars..	24,827	19,512	27
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	443	479	-8
Partnership or corporation .....	53	63	-16
Other .....	5	5	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	336	405	-17
Other .....	165	142	16
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	482	529	-9
Female .....	19	18	6
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	496	546	-9
Black and other races .....	5	1	400
Average age of operator .....	53.5	52.2	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.