

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Increased slightly from 641,109 acres in 1992 to 646,616 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 16 percent from 1,298 acres in 1992 to 1,500 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 16 percent from 399 farms in 1992 to 334 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

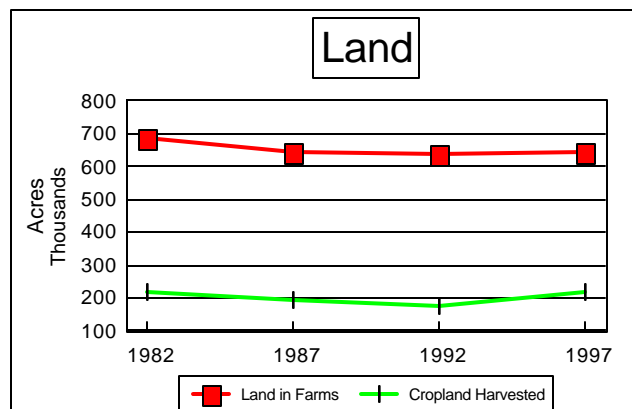
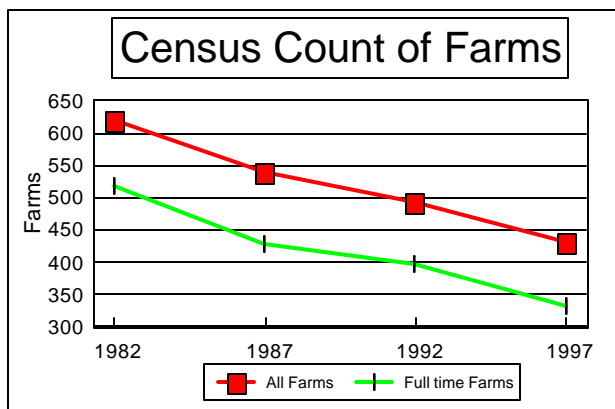
Increased 14 percent to \$38,079,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 69 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 31 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 31 percent from \$67,565 in 1992 to \$88,351 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	38,079	80	105	1,486	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	26,193	51	105	1,053	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	11,886	97	105	1,723	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Wheat	15,554	29	105	123	2,578
Cattle and calves	10,589	90	105	848	3,063
Corn for grain	5,895	35	105	745	2,582
Grain sorghum	2,331	69	105	151	1,275
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	1,498	42	105	575	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	22,245	87	105	882	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	7,102	57	105	1,112	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	387	64	105	1,391	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	76	28	105	1,215	3,015
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	43	60	1,758	2,203
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	41,206	66	105	793	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	2,571	69	105	1,239	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	371	53	105	1,972	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	109	92	104	2,601	3,002
Broiler inventory	(D)	44	85	1,624	2,620
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	143,524	20	105	116	2,612
Corn for grain-acres	34,095	23	105	630	2,691
Sorghum for grain-acres	19,800	62	105	137	1,508
Hay crops-acres	18,031	67	105	1,133	3,061
Sunflower seed-acres	6,195	3	89	79	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	63	122	-48
\$10,000 or more	368	372	-1
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	29,738	29,365	1
Average per farmdollars..	68,999	59,444	16
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	7,330	5,223	40
Average per farmdollars..	17,006	10,573	61
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	344	416	-17
Partnership or corporation	85	76	12
Other	2	2	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	334	399	-16
Other	97	95	2
Operators by sex:			
Male	405	471	-14
Female	26	23	13
Operators by race:			
White	429	492	-13
Black and other races	2	2	
Average age of operator	54.7	52.8	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.