

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
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Land in farms

Increased 6 percent from 432,701 acres in 1992 to 457,655 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 9 percent from 807 acres in 1992 to 882 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 8 percent from 348 farms in 1992 to 319 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

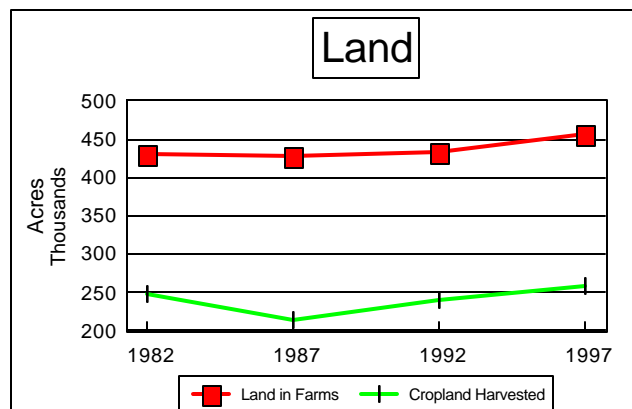
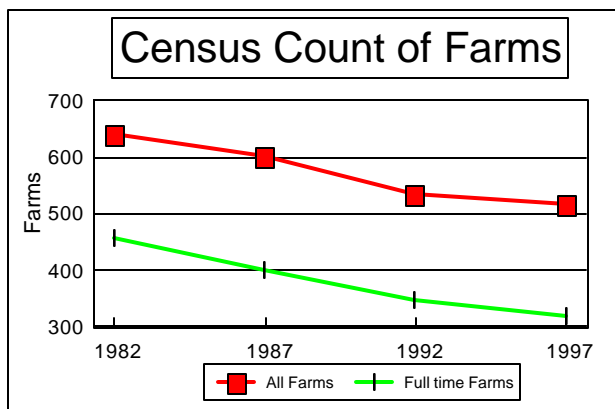
Increased 18 percent to \$96,849,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 47 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 53 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 22 percent from \$153,408 in 1992 to \$186,606 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	96,849	26	105	536	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	51,481	30	105	491	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	45,368	18	105	611	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	40,327	33	105	171	3,063
Wheat	23,478	9	105	53	2,578
Grain sorghum	12,710	2	105	7	1,275
Poultry & poultry products	(D)	2	99	490	2,901
Corn for grain	4,749	39	105	822	2,582
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	2	60	117	2,203
Cattle and calves sold	59,526	37	105	223	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	22,310	31	105	783	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	733	41	105	1,003	2,765
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	35	76	1,020	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	1	104	199	3,002
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	(D)	2	81	117	2,549
Cattle and calves inventory	46,313	59	105	673	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	11,580	32	105	750	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	1,107	31	104	880	2,864
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	147,544	17	105	111	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	72,413	9	105	23	1,508
Hay crops-acres	21,826	53	105	941	3,061
Corn for grain-acres	12,745	59	105	981	2,691
Soybeans for beans-acres	7,030	58	104	1,109	2,144

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	152	151	1
\$10,000 or more	367	385	-5
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	68,698	68,190	1
Average per farmdollars..	132,366	127,458	4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	24,274	14,609	66
Average per farmdollars..	46,770	27,306	71
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	436	458	-5
Partnership or corporation	79	73	8
Other	4	5	-20
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	319	348	-8
Other	200	188	6
Operators by sex:			
Male	500	506	-1
Female	19	30	-37
Operators by race:			
White	519	535	-3
Black and other races	-	1	-100
Average age of operator	53.8	53.6	0

(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.