

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Decreased 2 percent from 484,415 acres in 1992 to 476,259 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 7 percent from 1,334 acres in 1992 to 1,422 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 7 percent from 244 farms in 1992 to 227 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

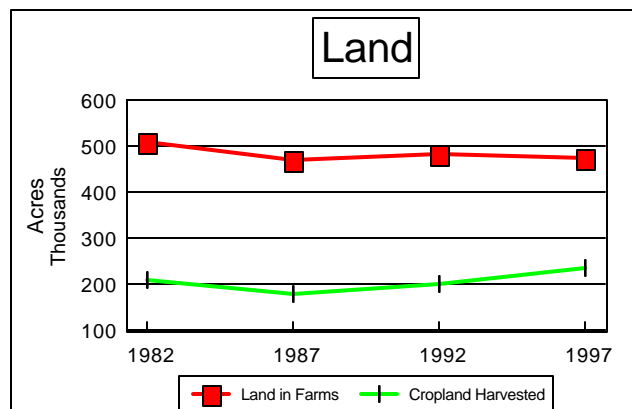
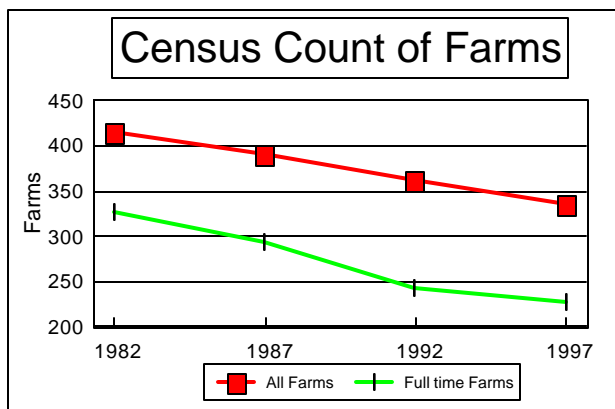
Increased 11 percent to \$451,264,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 10 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 90 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 21 percent from \$1,116,429 in 1992 to \$1,347,057 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	451,264	2	105	35	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	408,185	1	105	18	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	43,079	24	105	661	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	402,186	1	105	6	3,063
Wheat	21,063	13	105	68	2,578
Corn for grain	10,428	22	105	543	2,582
Grain sorghum	7,594	19	105	36	1,275
Hogs and pigs	5,738	14	105	486	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	545,662	1	105	5	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	48,394	19	105	531	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	210	78	105	1,701	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	61	38	105	1,424	3,015
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	55	76	1,651	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	228,753	2	105	21	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	32,631	11	105	432	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	440	46	105	1,764	3,066
Sheep and lamb inventory	156	86	104	1,976	2,864
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	96	104	2,731	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	151,091	16	105	106	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	42,949	25	105	52	1,508
Corn for grain-acres	31,477	24	105	661	2,691
Corn for silage-acres	8,378	1	101	158	2,473
Hay crops-acres	2,185	104	105	2,680	3,061

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	53	58	-9
\$10,000 or more	282	305	-8
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	342,458	352,112	-3
Average per farmdollars..	1,022,264	970,006	5
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	109,026	53,505	104
Average per farmdollars..	325,451	147,397	121
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	210	245	-14
Partnership or corporation	124	117	6
Other	1	1	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	227	244	-7
Other	108	119	-9
Operators by sex:			
Male	321	340	-6
Female	14	23	-39
Operators by race:			
White	331	363	-9
Black and other races	4	-	
Average age of operator	51.7	50.5	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.