

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service



TRIGG KENTUCKY

Land in farms

Increased 5 percent from 111,866 acres in 1992 to 116,966 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 8 percent from 263 acres in 1992 to 285 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 18 percent from 203 farms in 1992 to 166 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

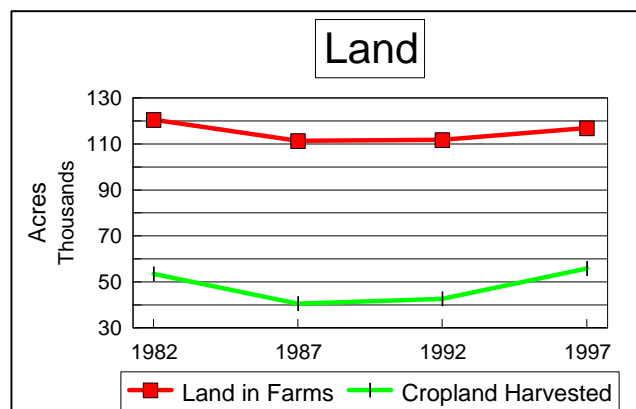
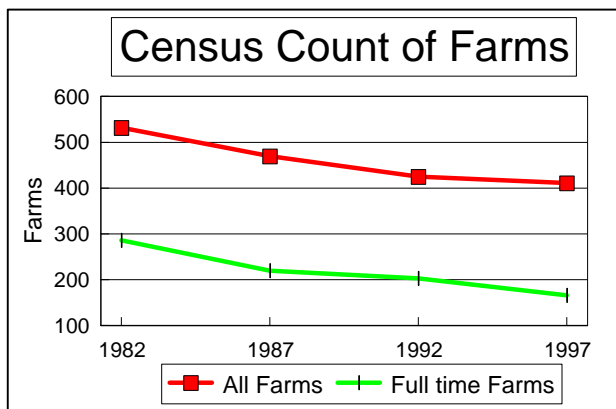
Increased 42 percent to \$26,535,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 67 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 33 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 47 percent from \$43,852 in 1992 to \$64,563 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	26,535	48	120	1,868	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	17,896	29	120	1,354	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	8,639	52	120	1,976	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Tobacco	6,163	55	116	139	580
Corn for grain	5,835	16	116	751	2,582
Hogs and pigs	4,570	8	116	564	2,976
Cattle and calves	3,791	53	120	1,679	3,063
Soybeans	3,640	22	98	819	2,136
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	37,187	9	116	625	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	9,544	53	120	1,643	3,063
All goats sold	53	34	110	1,392	2,686
Horses and ponies sold	27	85	116	2,227	3,015
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	71	88	1,995	2,203
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Hogs and pigs inventory	22,545	8	118	550	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	18,257	52	120	1,623	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	272	90	119	2,310	3,066
All goat inventory	79	68	118	1,941	2,983
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	66	108	119	2,754	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Corn for grain-acres	18,248	19	118	852	2,691
Hay crops-acres	16,941	53	120	1,197	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	15,441	24	98	873	2,144
Wheat-acres	9,763	14	97	778	2,612
Tobacco-acres	1,660	60	116	150	583

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	209	205	2
\$10,000 or more	202	220	-8
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	20,988	13,679	53
Average per farmdollars..	51,065	32,185	59
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	5,756	5,163	11
Average per farmdollars..	14,005	12,149	15
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	336	332	1
Partnership or corporation	74	87	-15
Other	1	6	-83
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	166	203	-18
Other	245	222	10
Operators by sex:			
Male	366	393	-7
Female	45	32	41
Operators by race:			
White	398	408	-2
Black and other races	13	17	-24
Average age of operator	51.9	53.8	-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.