1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service



WARREN KENTUCKY

Land in farms

Increased slightly from 252,817 acres in 1992 to 254,813 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 9 percent from 129 acres in 1992 to 140 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 14 percent from 805 farms in 1992 to 696 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

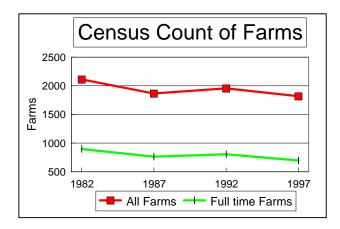
Increased 20 percent to \$65,241,000 in 1997.

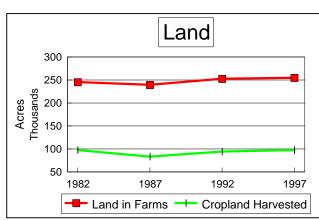
Crop sales accounted for 38 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 62 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 29 percent from \$27,865 in 1992 to \$35,867 in 1997.





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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

	State		State	U.S.	
Item	Quantity	Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	65,241	10	120	899	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	40,555	7	120	658	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	24,686	17	120	1,106	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	26,797	1	120	273	3,063
Tobacco	9,379	38	116	99	580
Dairy products	7,577	8	107	468	2,563
Corn for grain	4,996	18	116	808	2,582
Soybeans	4,755	19	98	748	2,136
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	19	46	516	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	13	88	508	2,203
Cattle and calves sold	68,675	1	120	182	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	33,419	11	116	666	2,976
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	3	63	360	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	(D)	20	101	520	2,620
Cattle and calves inventory	77,118	2	120	262	3,064
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	59,230	3	101	224	2,549
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	12	119	687	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	21,548	10	118	569	3,005
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	48,220	3	120	294	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	22,679	19	98	758	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	21,216	18	118	797	2,691
Wheat-acres	14,071	10	97	640	2,612
Tobacco-acres	2,872	37	116	96	583

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

			Percent	
Item	1997	1992	Change	
Farms by value of sales:				
Less than \$10,000	1,129	1,130		
\$10,000 or more	690	826	-16	
Total farm production expenses\$1,000	45,998	41,228	12	
Average per farmdollars	25,302	21,078	20	
Net cash return from agricultural sales				
for the farm unit\$1,000	16,650	13,406	24	
Average per farmdollars	9,159	6,854	34	
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family	1,631	1,709	-5	
Partnership or corporation	181	238	-24	
Other	7	9	-22	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS				
Operators by principal occupation:				
Farming	696	805	-14	
Other	1,123	1,151	-2	
Operators by sex:				
Male	1,655	1,799	-8	
Female	164	157	4	
Operators by race:				
White	1,768	1,906	-7	
Black and other races	51	50	2	
Average age of operator	54.6	53.9	1	

⁽D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

 $[\]mbox{\ensuremath{^{\star}}}$ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.