

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service



WAYNE KENTUCKY

Land in farms

Decreased 3 percent from 135,850 acres in 1992 to 131,366 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 7 percent from 153 acres in 1992 to 164 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 394 farms in 1992 to 360 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

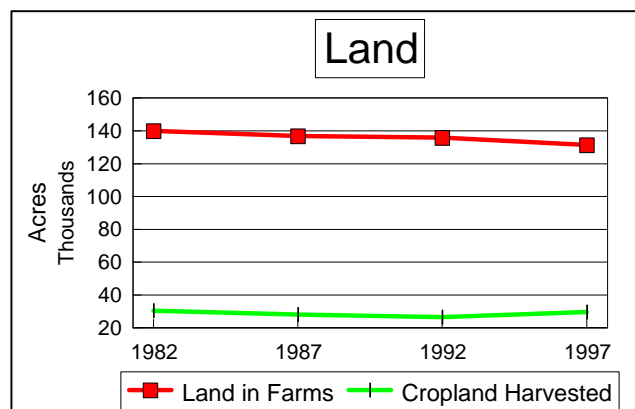
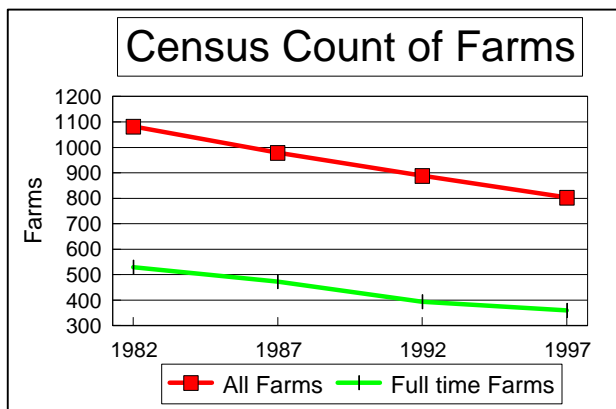
Increased 117 percent to \$49,995,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 19 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 81 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 140 percent from \$25,892 in 1992 to \$62,260 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	49,995	17	120	1,199	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	40,741	6	120	655	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	9,254	67	120	1,808	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Poultry & poultry products	(D)	2	109	199	2,901
Cattle and calves	5,939	37	120	1,325	3,063
Tobacco	5,444	61	116	151	580
Hogs and pigs	2,794	14	116	713	2,976
Corn for grain	1,342	34	116	1,238	2,582
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	4	88	321	2,203
Hogs and pigs sold	25,111	16	116	753	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	16,160	34	120	1,176	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	362	13	106	1,423	2,765
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	22	63	1,240	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	344,563	3	119	208	3,002
Pullets less than 13 weeks inventory	(D)	4	74	175	1,790
Cattle and calves inventory	27,627	36	120	1,212	3,064
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	(D)	11	101	338	2,549
Hogs and pigs inventory	10,197	20	118	798	3,005
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	17,241	50	120	1,179	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	5,514	40	98	1,179	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	5,431	39	118	1,287	2,691
Tobacco-acres	1,656	61	116	152	583
Corn for silage-acres	725	43	110	1,240	2,473

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	487	555	-12
\$10,000 or more	316	334	-5
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	26,973	17,819	51
Average per farmdollars..	33,548	20,044	67
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	22,105	5,518	301
Average per farmdollars..	27,494	6,207	343
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	692	736	-6
Partnership or corporation	108	150	-28
Other	3	3	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	360	394	-9
Other	443	495	-11
Operators by sex:			
Male	740	831	-11
Female	63	58	9
Operators by race:			
White	799	877	-9
Black and other races	4	12	-67
Average age of operator	53.5	52.4	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.