

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Decreased slightly from 135,179 acres in 1992 to 134,356 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 8 percent from 295 acres in 1992 to 318 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 8 percent from 246 farms in 1992 to 226 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

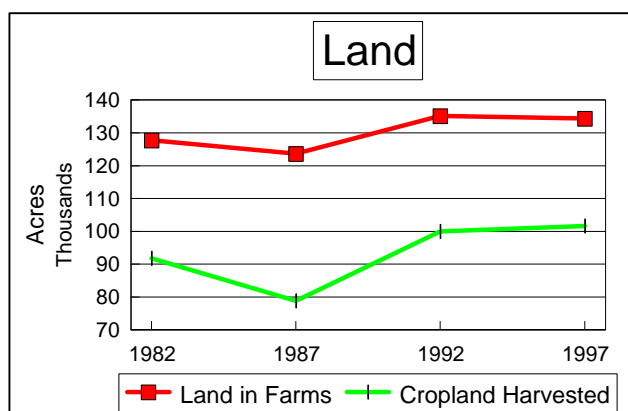
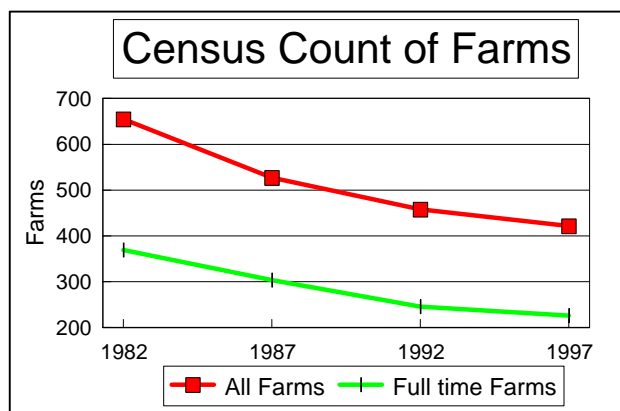
Increased 67 percent to \$53,771,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 49 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 51 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 82 percent from \$70,163 in 1992 to \$127,419 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	53,771	15	120	1,115	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	27,227	11	120	960	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	26,544	11	120	1,046	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Poultry & poultry products	20,491	3	109	273	2,901
Soybeans	11,236	8	98	511	2,136
Corn for grain	10,784	9	116	535	2,582
Hogs and pigs	5,355	5	116	512	2,976
Tobacco	3,008	77	116	204	580
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	11,415,790	2	46	169	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	161,700	5	88	374	2,203
Hogs and pigs sold	51,366	6	116	510	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	3,251	89	120	2,443	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	33	77	106	2,403	2,765
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	2,562,695	2	101	127	2,620
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	114,030	4	119	398	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	26,808	5	118	491	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	6,105	89	120	2,471	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	150	101	119	2,720	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	51,494	7	98	502	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	43,109	8	118	559	2,691
Wheat-acres	8,361	16	97	841	2,612
Hay crops-acres	4,161	98	120	2,406	3,061
Tobacco-acres	941	78	116	207	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	153	158	-3
\$10,000 or more	269	300	-10
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	41,375	21,503	92
Average per farmdollars..	98,046	46,949	109
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	12,652	10,411	22
Average per farmdollars..	29,981	22,732	32
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	370	384	-4
Partnership or corporation	52	71	-27
Other	-	3	-100
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	226	246	-8
Other	196	212	-8
Operators by sex:			
Male	396	437	-9
Female	26	21	24
Operators by race:			
White	422	458	-8
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	52.2	51.9	1

(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.