

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



CARROLL MISSOURI

Land in farms

Increased 5 percent from 377,000 acres in 1992 to 395,657 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 1 percent from 410 acres in 1992 to 416 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 585 farms in 1992 to 532 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

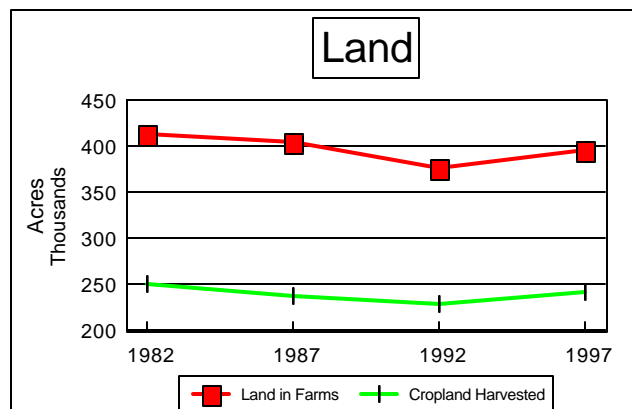
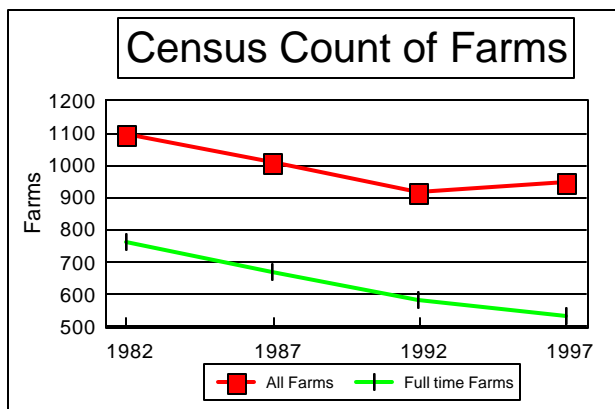
Decreased 5 percent to \$58,965,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 75 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 25 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Decreased 8 percent from \$67,507 in 1992 to \$61,938 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	58,965	27	114	1,008	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	44,512	15	114	630	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	14,453	68	114	1,545	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Soybeans	23,851	11	106	212	2,136
Corn for grain	14,906	11	106	441	2,582
Cattle and calves	8,394	63	114	1,042	3,063
Hogs and pigs	4,837	40	114	542	2,976
Wheat	4,587	8	112	397	2,578
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	60,596	34	114	464	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	18,151	64	114	1,083	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	6	87	275	2,200
Sheep and lambs sold	1,424	3	108	627	2,765
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	30	64	1,026	1,882
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	31,091	65	114	1,090	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	25,066	34	113	511	3,005
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	(D)	12	112	423	2,884
Sheep and lamb inventory	1,349	10	111	756	2,864
Broiler inventory	(D)	28	108	863	2,620
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	125,664	7	106	113	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	60,428	10	111	441	2,691
Wheat-acres	31,787	7	112	416	2,612
Hay crops-acres	28,822	60	114	704	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	1,525	11	101	827	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	417	295	41
\$10,000 or more	535	624	-14
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	42,163	42,520	-1
Average per farmdollars..	44,289	46,268	-4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	16,364	20,789	-21
Average per farmdollars..	17,189	22,622	-24
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	793	785	1
Partnership or corporation	147	127	16
Other	12	7	71
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	532	585	-9
Other	420	334	26
Operators by sex:			
Male	882	856	3
Female	70	63	11
Operators by race:			
White	947	918	3
Black and other races	5	1	400
Average age of operator	54.7	52.8	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.