

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Decreased slightly from 227,156 acres in 1992 to 226,725 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased slightly from 274 acres in 1992 to 276 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 12 percent from 469 farms in 1992 to 411 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

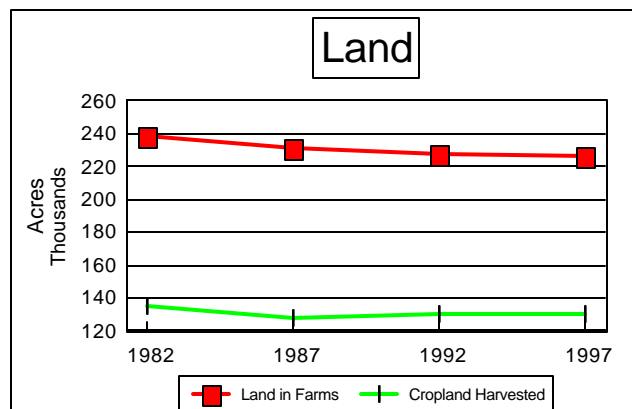
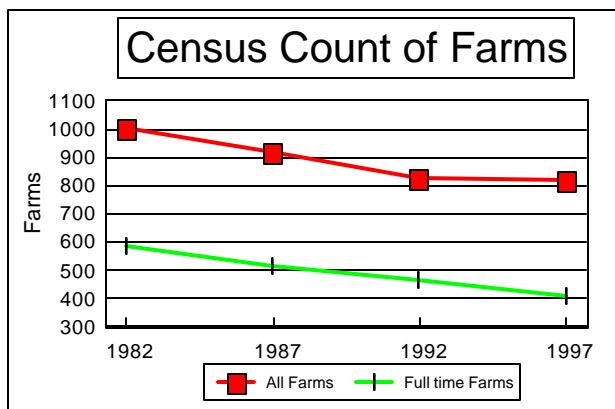
Increased 5 percent to \$40,440,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 70 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 30 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 6 percent from \$46,314 in 1992 to \$49,318 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	40,440	52	114	1,422	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	28,316	28	114	982	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	12,125	75	114	1,697	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Soybeans	14,862	23	106	408	2,136
Corn for grain	11,692	15	106	510	2,582
Cattle and calves	6,332	77	114	1,269	3,063
Dairy products	3,013	24	108	870	2,563
Hogs and pigs	2,635	57	114	729	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	23,979	60	114	767	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	12,983	82	114	1,370	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	1,113	12	108	764	2,765
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	380	36	93	1,109	2,203
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	40	71	743	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	24,598	78	114	1,340	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	11,463	58	113	754	3,005
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	1,223	42	113	1,098	3,002
Sheep and lamb inventory	1,137	21	111	859	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	439	84	114	1,769	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	65,091	27	106	406	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	45,327	17	111	544	2,691
Hay crops-acres	19,403	86	114	1,065	3,061
Wheat-acres	2,620	70	112	1,327	2,612
Corn for silage-acres	694	44	101	1,258	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	367	336	9
\$10,000 or more	453	494	-8
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	28,663	27,166	6
Average per farmdollars..	34,955	32,730	7
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	12,972	11,050	17
Average per farmdollars..	15,819	13,314	19
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	717	734	-2
Partnership or corporation	95	94	1
Other	8	2	300
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	411	469	-12
Other	409	361	13
Operators by sex:			
Male	763	782	-2
Female	57	48	19
Operators by race:			
White	818	830	-1
Black and other races	2	-	
Average age of operator	54.3	51.8	5

(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.