

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



CEDAR MISSOURI

Land in farms

Increased 8 percent from 187,856 acres in 1992 to 203,685 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 3 percent from 229 acres in 1992 to 235 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 1 percent from 398 farms in 1992 to 394 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

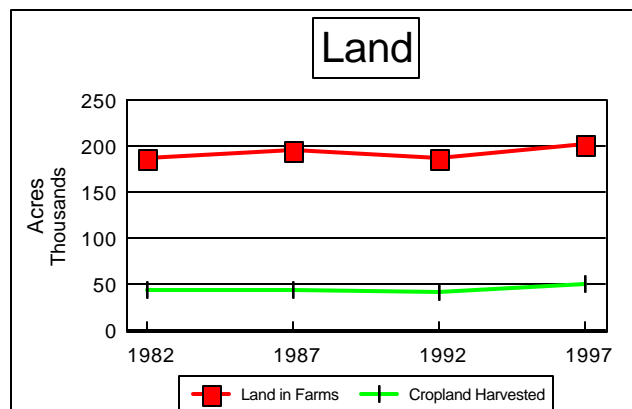
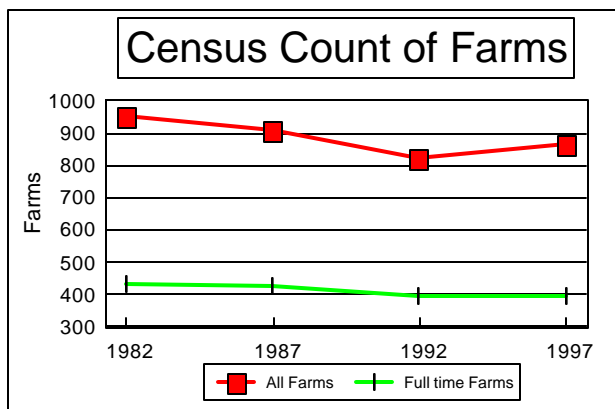
Increased 28 percent to \$20,870,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 12 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 88 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 21 percent from \$19,927 in 1992 to \$24,127 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	20,870	90	114	2,067	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	18,289	55	114	1,338	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	2,581	86	114	2,421	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	10,993	45	114	825	3,063
Hogs and pigs	5,574	36	114	496	2,976
Dairy products	1,555	46	108	1,182	2,563
Soybeans	949	81	106	1,194	2,136
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	812	51	114	1,151	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	120,262	17	114	287	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	24,857	41	114	781	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	11,877	4	87	254	2,200
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	29	64	941	1,882
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	18	71	231	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	46,327	38	114	672	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	20,106	43	113	594	3,005
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	739	61	113	1,375	3,002
Horse and pony inventory	706	46	114	1,150	3,066
Sheep and lamb inventory	486	63	111	1,427	2,864
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	39,120	38	114	447	3,061
Field seeds-acres	(D)	17	102	41	1,212
Soybeans for beans-acres	5,369	81	106	1,184	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	1,747	82	111	1,688	2,691
Wheat-acres	1,446	79	112	1,543	2,612

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	533	501	6
\$10,000 or more	332	320	4
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	18,103	15,495	17
Average per farmdollars..	20,929	18,873	11
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	2,299	2,423	-5
Average per farmdollars..	2,658	2,951	-10
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	820	760	8
Partnership or corporation	42	58	-28
Other	3	3	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	394	398	-1
Other	471	423	11
Operators by sex:			
Male	769	744	3
Female	96	77	25
Operators by race:			
White	861	818	5
Black and other races	4	3	33
Average age of operator	56.3	56.5	-0

(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.