

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



GRUNDY MISSOURI

Land in farms

Decreased 2 percent from 226,336 acres in 1992 to 221,866 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 9 percent from 366 acres in 1992 to 333 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 11 percent from 352 farms in 1992 to 313 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

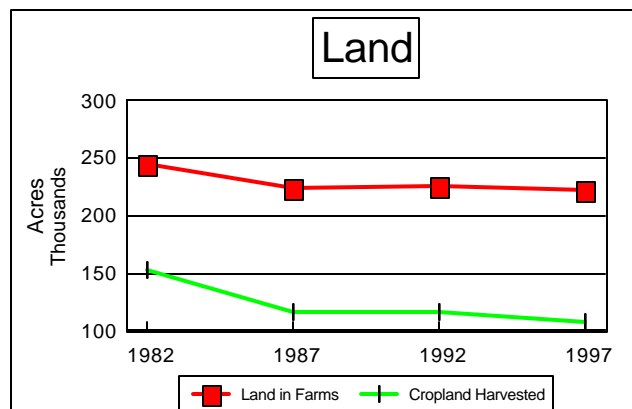
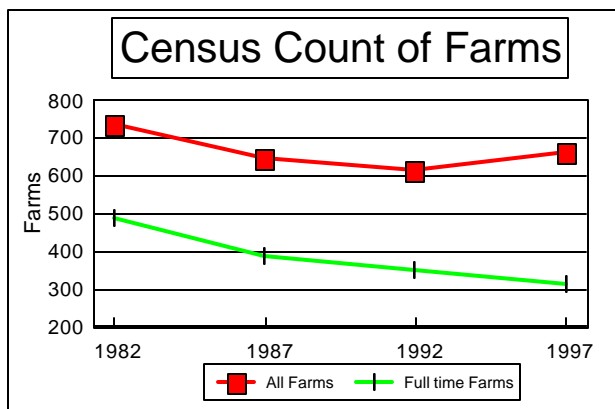
Increased 9 percent to \$28,852,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 73 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 27 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased slightly from \$42,988 in 1992 to \$43,256 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	28,852	75	114	1,774	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	21,035	44	114	1,224	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	7,816	92	114	2,057	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Soybeans	13,528	31	106	448	2,136
Cattle and calves	5,695	83	114	1,364	3,063
Corn for grain	4,726	46	106	824	2,582
Hogs and pigs	1,045	77	114	1,002	2,976
Wheat	981	48	112	916	2,578
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	13,027	81	114	1,366	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	8,675	82	114	1,063	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	543	39	108	1,187	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	58	76	113	1,491	3,015
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	49	64	1,514	1,882
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	21,044	89	114	1,495	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	4,771	80	113	1,031	3,005
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	682	69	113	1,440	3,002
Sheep and lamb inventory	654	48	111	1,237	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	516	73	114	1,549	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	61,700	31	106	430	2,144
Hay crops-acres	21,130	78	114	982	3,061
Corn for grain-acres	17,201	53	111	871	2,691
Wheat-acres	6,471	49	112	936	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	2,069	30	108	406	1,508

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	369	287	29
\$10,000 or more	298	331	-10
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	21,599	19,071	13
Average per farmdollars..	32,285	30,860	5
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	8,291	6,880	21
Average per farmdollars..	12,394	11,133	11
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	577	552	5
Partnership or corporation	81	63	29
Other	9	3	200
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	313	352	-11
Other	354	266	33
Operators by sex:			
Male	605	559	8
Female	62	59	5
Operators by race:			
White	662	617	7
Black and other races	5	1	400
Average age of operator	56.4	55.6	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.