

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



HENRY MISSOURI

Land in farms

Decreased 2 percent from 321,181 acres in 1992 to 315,460 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased slightly from 337 acres in 1992 to 336 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 15 percent from 518 farms in 1992 to 438 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

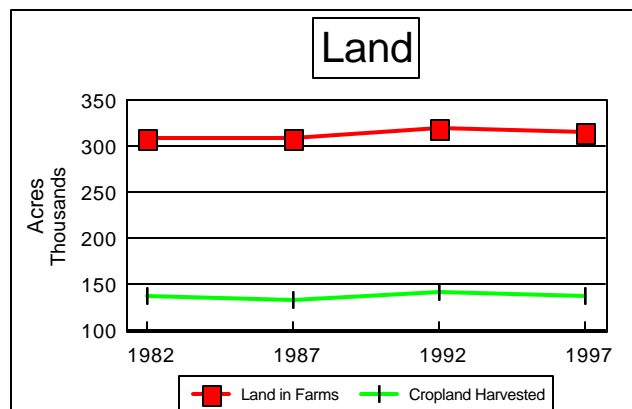
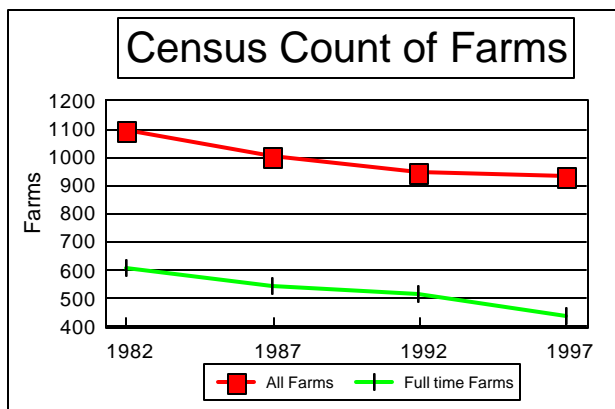
Increased 15 percent to \$42,642,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 41 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 59 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 17 percent from \$38,840 in 1992 to \$45,461 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	42,642	48	114	1,371	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	25,247	40	114	1,028	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	17,396	52	114	1,374	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	13,847	26	114	667	3,063
Soybeans	7,686	54	106	625	2,136
Hogs and pigs	7,047	28	114	426	2,976
Corn for grain	2,827	60	106	1,000	2,582
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	2,663	3	114	264	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	16	64	481	1,882
Hogs and pigs sold	104,512	21	114	319	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	33,006	21	114	558	3,063
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	24	93	705	2,203
Sheep and lambs sold	348	62	108	1,448	2,765
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	(D)	15	108	491	2,620
Cattle and calves inventory	61,936	15	114	426	3,064
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	37,298	19	113	638	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	34,606	23	113	416	3,005
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	1,477	10	104	438	2,549
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	56,118	13	114	209	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	41,172	50	106	583	2,144
Field seeds-acres	(D)	4	102	17	1,212
Wheat-acres	15,736	29	112	610	2,612
Corn for grain-acres	14,151	56	111	936	2,691

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	464	415	12
\$10,000 or more	474	537	-12
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	35,611	28,872	23
Average per farmdollars..	37,965	30,328	25
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	7,748	8,873	-13
Average per farmdollars..	8,261	9,320	-11
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	829	831	-0
Partnership or corporation	102	116	-12
Other	7	5	40
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	438	518	-15
Other	500	434	15
Operators by sex:			
Male	864	872	-1
Female	74	80	-8
Operators by race:			
White	932	948	-2
Black and other races	6	4	50
Average age of operator	54.3	54.5	-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.