

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



LINCOLN MISSOURI

Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 253,281 acres in 1992 to 262,362 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 6 percent from 250 acres in 1992 to 265 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 490 farms in 1992 to 446 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

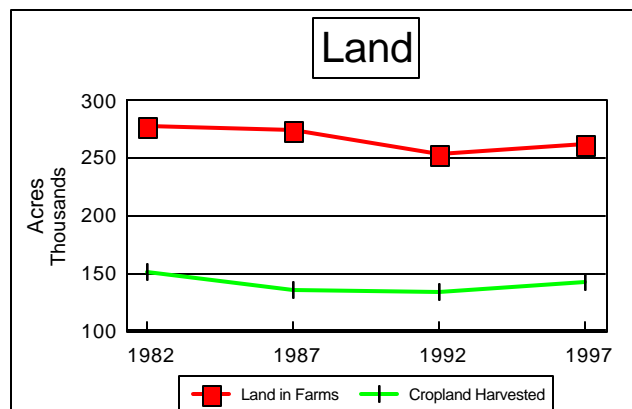
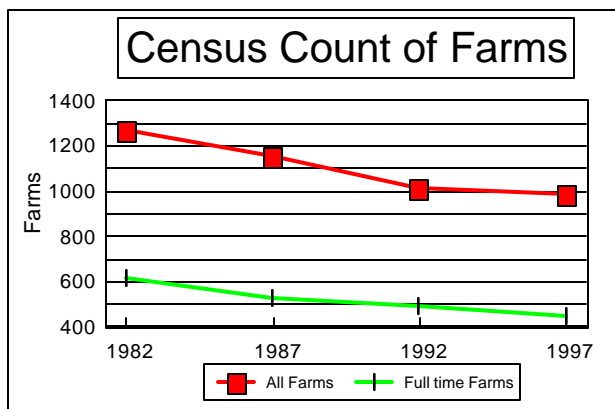
Increased slightly

Crop sales accounted for 54 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 46 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 3 percent from \$51,547 in 1992 to \$52,947 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	52,365	39	114	1,144	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	28,026	30	114	1,000	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	24,339	42	114	1,058	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Soybeans	10,694	43	106	520	2,136
Corn for grain	8,721	21	106	598	2,582
Hogs and pigs	7,787	25	114	403	2,976
Cattle and calves	7,316	70	114	1,150	3,063
Poultry & poultry products	(D)	17	113	533	2,901
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	12	93	494	2,203
Hogs and pigs sold	75,305	28	114	404	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	15,148	74	114	1,237	3,063
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	1,579	18	87	648	2,200
Sheep and lambs sold	530	42	108	1,202	2,765
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	4	113	99	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	38,409	21	113	380	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	27,308	70	114	1,229	3,064
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	2,056	13	112	444	2,884
Sheep and lamb inventory	755	39	111	1,144	2,864
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	51,750	44	106	500	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	47,644	14	111	525	2,691
Hay crops-acres	21,555	77	114	965	3,061
Wheat-acres	19,818	18	112	539	2,612
Corn for silage-acres	2,156	5	101	650	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	547	467	17
\$10,000 or more	442	546	-19
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	39,132	41,873	-7
Average per farmdollars..	39,528	41,295	-4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	12,874	10,173	27
Average per farmdollars..	13,005	10,033	30
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	845	870	-3
Partnership or corporation	133	139	-4
Other	11	4	175
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	446	490	-9
Other	543	523	4
Operators by sex:			
Male	918	955	-4
Female	71	58	22
Operators by race:			
White	984	1,008	-2
Black and other races	5	5	
Average age of operator	54.9	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.