

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture  
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### Land in farms

Increased 5 percent from 242,018 acres in 1992 to 254,520 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Increased 7 percent from 224 acres in 1992 to 239 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased 12 percent from 503 farms in 1992 to 441 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

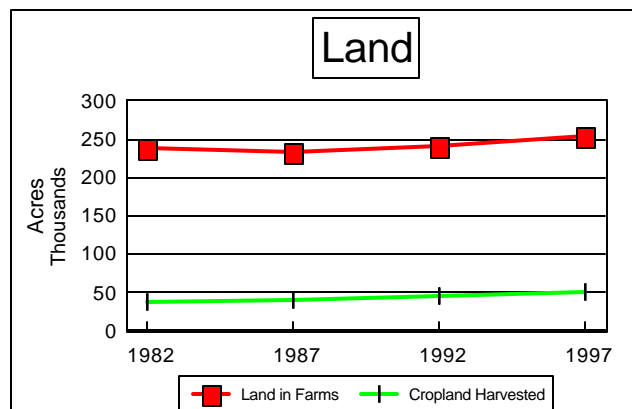
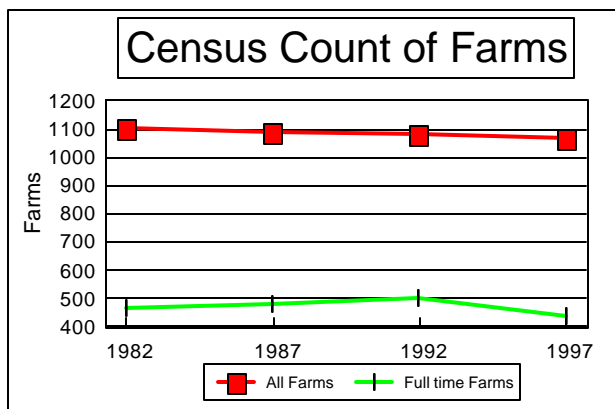
Increased 43 percent to \$75,961,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 3 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 97 percent of the market value.

### Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 45 percent from \$49,069 in 1992 to \$71,191 in 1997.



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### Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	75,961	22	114	756	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	73,532	9	114	317	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	2,429	87	114	2,441	3,070
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
Poultry & poultry products	32,700	7	113	188	2,901
Hogs and pigs	26,913	4	114	118	2,976
Cattle and calves	12,784	29	114	706	3,063
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	1,289	24	114	697	3,043
Dairy products	684	62	108	1,586	2,563
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Turkeys sold	2,918,790	2	47	31	1,353
Hogs and pigs sold	289,702	5	114	100	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	30,130	29	114	634	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	139	92	108	1,880	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	66	64	113	1,349	3,015
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
All turkeys inventory	1,070,879	2	96	25	2,361
Hogs and pigs inventory	106,410	6	113	143	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	55,533	23	114	517	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	538	71	114	1,502	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	493	82	113	1,703	3,002
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Hay crops-acres	41,393	35	114	404	3,061
Field seeds-acres	6,796	19	102	44	1,212
Soybeans for beans-acres	2,839	83	106	1,322	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	2,502	80	111	1,571	2,691
Corn for silage-acres	1,148	21	101	972	2,473

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

### Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>			
Less than \$10,000 .....	628	623	1
\$10,000 or more .....	439	457	-4
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	69,203	47,044	47
Average per farm .....dollars..	64,858	43,559	49
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	6,573	6,864	-4
Average per farm .....dollars..	6,161	6,356	-3
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	972	981	-1
Partnership or corporation .....	93	99	-6
Other .....	2	-	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	441	503	-12
Other .....	626	577	8
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	991	1,014	-2
Female .....	76	66	15
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	1,065	1,074	-1
Black and other races .....	2	6	-67
Average age of operator .....	52.6	52.2	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.