

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



SCHUYLER MISSOURI

Land in farms

Decreased 3 percent from 165,225 acres in 1992 to 159,543 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 4 percent from 339 acres in 1992 to 324 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 5 percent from 274 farms in 1992 to 259 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

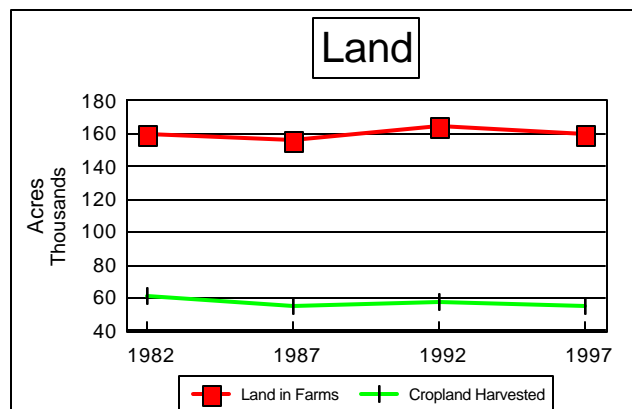
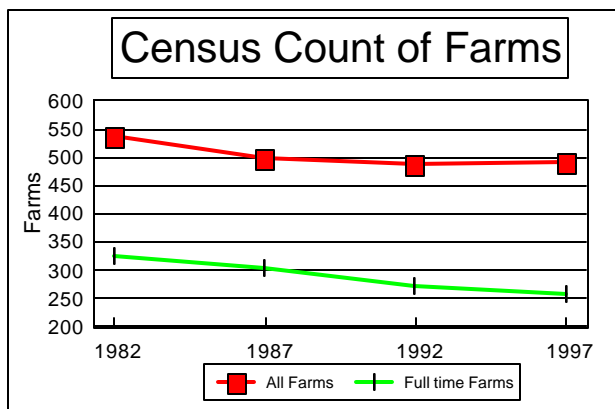
Increased 2 percent to \$14,345,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 43 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 57 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased slightly from \$28,927 in 1992 to \$29,097 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	14,345	99	114	2,332	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	8,172	89	114	2,026	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	6,172	74	114	2,025	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	6,353	76	114	1,268	3,063
Soybeans	3,875	65	106	801	2,136
Corn for grain	1,675	69	106	1,168	2,582
Dairy products	671	63	108	1,600	2,563
Hogs and pigs	661	89	114	1,131	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	14,984	75	114	1,243	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	5,946	90	114	1,181	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	4,833	1	108	244	2,765
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	34	64	1,150	1,882
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	36	87	1,240	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	25,193	76	114	1,307	3,064
Sheep and lamb inventory	6,268	1	111	221	2,864
Hogs and pigs inventory	4,247	82	113	1,073	3,005
Broiler inventory	(D)	33	108	990	2,620
Horse and pony inventory	393	93	114	1,901	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	30,353	56	114	668	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	17,447	67	106	827	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	7,716	70	111	1,164	2,691
Wheat-acres	880	83	112	1,704	2,612
Oats-acres	150	50	98	1,500	2,332

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	239	212	13
\$10,000 or more	254	276	-8
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	13,588	11,683	16
Average per farmdollars..	27,618	23,940	15
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	1,776	1,481	20
Average per farmdollars..	3,610	3,034	19
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	447	437	2
Partnership or corporation	42	47	-11
Other	4	4	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	259	274	-5
Other	234	214	9
Operators by sex:			
Male	451	454	-1
Female	42	34	24
Operators by race:			
White	490	485	1
Black and other races	3	3	
Average age of operator	56.3	54.5	3

(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.