

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Missouri Agricultural Statistics Service



SCOTT MISSOURI

Land in farms

Increased 10 percent from 219,042 acres in 1992 to 240,739 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 11 percent from 402 acres in 1992 to 445 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 11 percent from 322 farms in 1992 to 287 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

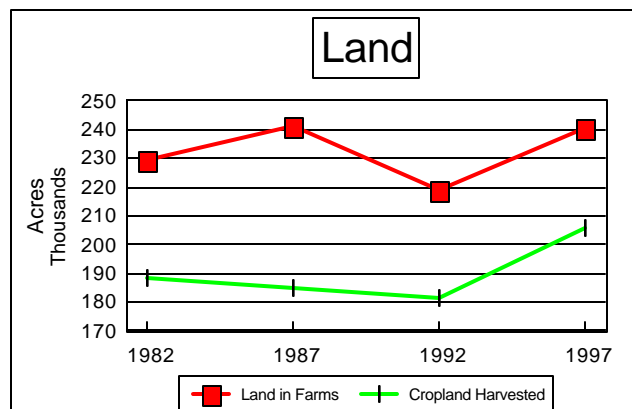
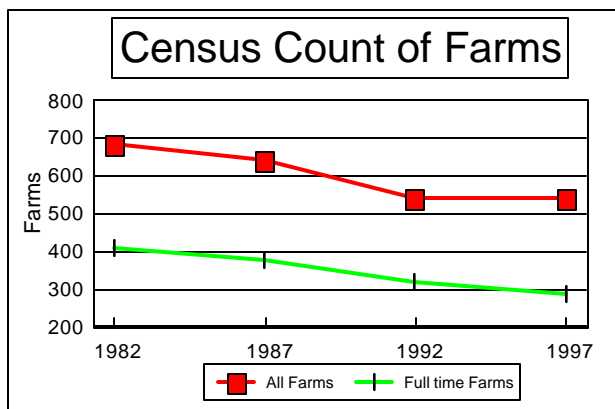
Increased 48 percent to \$76,630,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 78 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 22 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 49 percent from \$94,952 in 1992 to \$141,644 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	76,630	20	114	748	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	59,543	7	114	428	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	17,086	57	114	1,399	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Corn for grain	21,737	7	106	298	2,582
Soybeans	21,097	14	106	268	2,136
Poultry & poultry products	13,779	12	113	367	2,901
Wheat	7,232	3	112	280	2,578
Cotton, cottonseed	5,386	5	11	236	709
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	8,164,956	8	64	211	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	18	93	604	2,203
Hogs and pigs sold	6,805	86	114	1,130	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	5,638	107	114	2,070	3,063
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	16	71	190	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	1,022,000	8	108	236	2,620
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	(D)	17	113	553	3,002
Cattle and calves inventory	8,506	109	114	2,281	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	3,480	85	113	1,136	3,005
Rabbit inventory	1,265	4	101	54	2,456
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	105,138	12	106	183	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	64,075	8	111	403	2,691
Wheat-acres	44,009	3	112	335	2,612
Cotton-acres	11,898	5	11	242	713
Sorghum for grain-acres	8,354	12	108	236	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	212	189	12
\$10,000 or more	329	356	-8
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	52,783	36,440	45
Average per farmdollars..	97,566	66,740	46
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	21,916	13,942	57
Average per farmdollars..	40,509	25,534	59
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	440	447	-2
Partnership or corporation	98	96	2
Other	3	2	50
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	287	322	-11
Other	254	223	14
Operators by sex:			
Male	513	534	-4
Female	28	11	155
Operators by race:			
White	540	545	-1
Black and other races	1	-	
Average age of operator	52.2	51.3	2

(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.