

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Nebraska Agricultural Statistics Service



FILLMORE NEBRASKA

Land in farms

Increased 5 percent from 340,471 acres in 1992 to 356,894 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 14 percent from 534 acres in 1992 to 611 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 527 farms in 1992 to 479 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

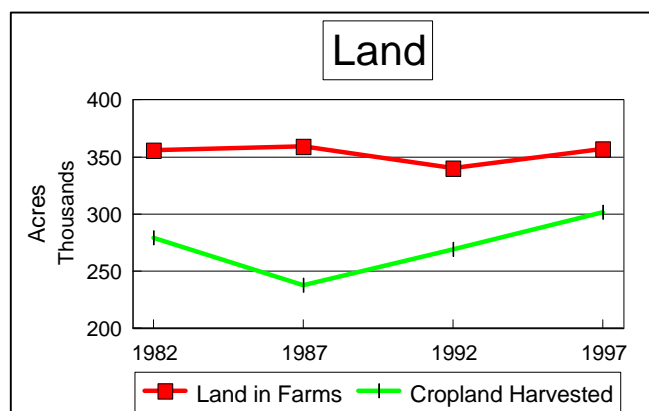
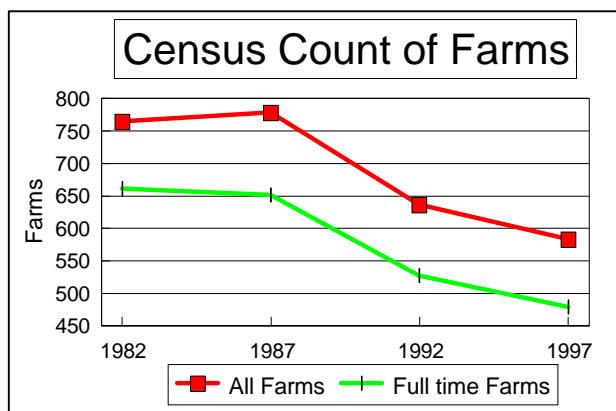
Increased 28 percent to \$141,652,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 62 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 38 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 40 percent from \$173,101 in 1992 to \$242,554 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	141,652	27	93	273	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	87,879	4	93	187	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	53,772	42	93	462	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Corn for grain	60,509	9	92	29	2,582
Cattle and calves	35,511	49	93	200	3,063
Soybeans	20,090	14	81	298	2,136
Hogs and pigs	17,787	13	91	203	2,976
Grain sorghum	5,497	8	80	62	1,275
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	145,203	17	91	240	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	47,534	50	93	316	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	515	61	89	1,225	2,765
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	15	46	1,127	2,203
Horses and ponies sold	124	13	93	738	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Hogs and pigs inventory	85,039	12	91	197	3,005
Cattle and calves inventory	41,514	64	93	782	3,064
Sheep and lamb inventory	806	45	90	1,096	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	557	24	93	1,456	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	391	55	93	1,878	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Corn for grain-acres	184,125	11	93	34	2,691
Soybeans for beans-acres	73,350	19	81	346	2,144
Sorghum for grain-acres	32,969	7	86	76	1,508
Wheat-acres	7,854	35	87	864	2,612
Hay crops-acres	6,133	87	93	2,133	3,061

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	57	76	-25
\$10,000 or more	527	561	-6
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	98,425	81,617	21
Average per farmdollars..	168,248	128,328	31
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	39,472	27,166	45
Average per farmdollars..	67,473	42,713	58
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	441	528	-16
Partnership or corporation	143	108	32
Other	-	1	-100
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	479	527	-9
Other	105	110	-5
Operators by sex:			
Male	574	619	-7
Female	10	18	-44
Operators by race:			
White	584	637	-8
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	50.9	48.5	5

(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.