

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Nebraska Agricultural Statistics Service



HAYES NEBRASKA

Land in farms

Increased 6 percent from 401,978 acres in 1992 to 426,333 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 13 percent from 1,472 acres in 1992 to 1,659 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 12 percent from 217 farms in 1992 to 192 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

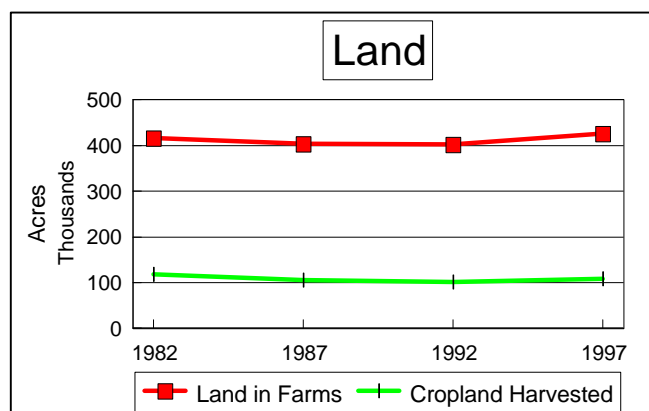
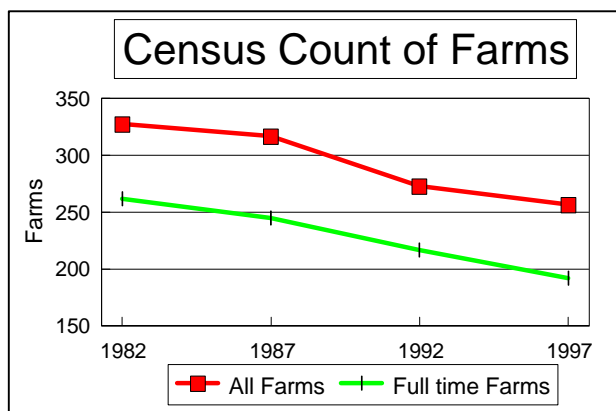
Decreased 13 percent to \$68,171,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 27 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 73 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Decreased 8 percent from \$287,430 in 1992 to \$265,256 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	68,171	59	93	851	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	49,865	46	93	507	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	18,305	70	93	1,329	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	48,613	37	93	133	3,063
Corn for grain	11,064	68	92	527	2,582
Wheat	5,125	14	87	359	2,578
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	828	64	93	1,131	3,043
All other grains: rye, drybeans, etc	782	23	86	338	1,971
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	69,797	38	93	175	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	7,402	73	91	1,100	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	160	83	89	1,821	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	50	37	93	1,648	3,015
All goats sold	(D)	49	62	2,505	2,686
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	55,504	47	93	518	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	3,858	74	91	1,101	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	298	54	93	2,218	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	116	81	93	2,575	3,002
Broiler inventory	108	63	83	1,587	2,620
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Corn for grain-acres	46,342	65	93	536	2,691
Wheat-acres	45,566	14	87	325	2,612
Hay crops-acres	10,111	75	93	1,713	3,061
Sorghum for grain-acres	1,633	38	86	434	1,508
Soybeans for beans-acres	1,542	68	81	1,481	2,144

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	46	32	44
\$10,000 or more	211	241	-12
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	57,325	66,002	-13
Average per farmdollars..	222,191	241,765	-8
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	9,080	13,130	-31
Average per farmdollars..	35,194	48,097	-27
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	196	217	-10
Partnership or corporation	57	55	4
Other	4	1	300
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	192	217	-12
Other	65	56	16
Operators by sex:			
Male	246	258	-5
Female	11	15	-27
Operators by race:			
White	255	273	-7
Black and other races	2	-	
Average age of operator	53.9	50.6	7

(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.