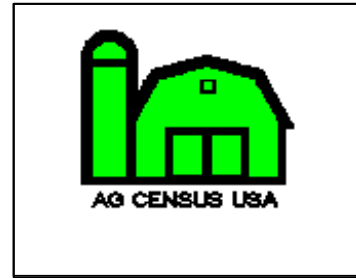


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Land in farms

Increased 12 percent from 446,007 acres in 1992 to 499,714 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 3 percent from 2,165 acres in 1992 to 2,221 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Increased 10 percent from 176 farms in 1992 to 193 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

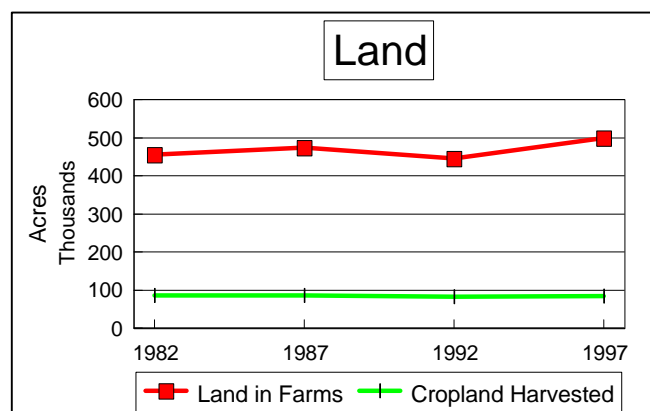
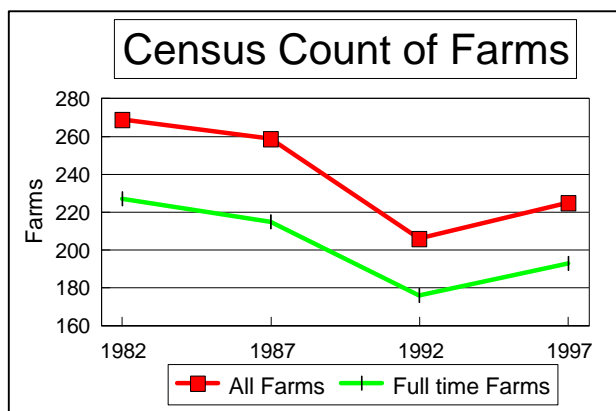
Increased 32 percent to \$27,142,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 16 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 84 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 21 percent from \$99,906 in 1992 to \$120,633 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	27,142	83	93	1,848	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	22,763	69	93	1,121	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	4,379	85	93	2,194	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	19,656	63	93	413	3,063
Corn for grain	2,978	82	92	976	2,582
Dairy products	2,902	13	82	887	2,563
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	986	55	93	935	3,043
Soybeans	139	73	81	1,613	2,136
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	37,294	61	93	467	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	1,479	86	91	1,674	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	551	57	89	1,178	2,765
All goats sold	36	20	62	1,645	2,686
Horses and ponies sold	22	63	93	2,386	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	61,565	42	93	431	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	990	85	91	1,614	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	344	45	93	2,065	3,066
Sheep and lamb inventory	339	75	90	1,610	2,864
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	23	60	716	2,588
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	71,550	8	93	115	3,061
Corn for grain-acres	13,074	83	93	971	2,691
Corn for silage-acres	1,367	54	92	877	2,473
Soybeans for beans-acres	629	72	81	1,672	2,144
Wheat-acres	608	66	87	1,833	2,612

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	31	33	-6
\$10,000 or more	194	173	12
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	19,440	17,212	13
Average per farmdollars..	86,401	83,552	3
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	7,725	3,949	96
Average per farmdollars..	34,333	19,172	79
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	187	174	7
Partnership or corporation	35	30	17
Other	3	2	50
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	193	176	10
Other	32	30	7
Operators by sex:			
Male	207	200	4
Female	18	6	200
Operators by race:			
White	225	206	9
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	55.0	52.1	6

(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.