

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Nebraska Agricultural Statistics Service



STANTON NEBRASKA

Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 217,228 acres in 1992 to 226,389 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 5 percent from 390 acres in 1992 to 372 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 424 farms in 1992 to 387 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

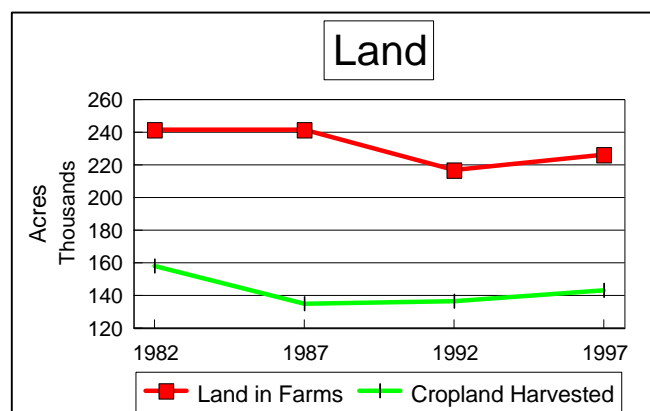
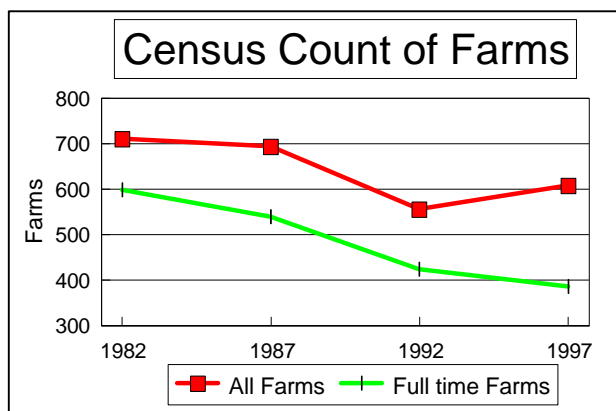
Increased 7 percent to \$103,785,000 in 1997.

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 2 percent from \$174,457 in 1992 to \$170,418 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	103,785	40	93	476	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	75,944	30	93	299	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	27,841	58	93	1,006	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	57,172	31	93	112	3,063
Hogs and pigs	16,810	15	91	217	2,976
Corn for grain	14,970	61	92	440	2,582
Soybeans	10,380	33	81	529	2,136
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	2,265	19	93	332	3,043
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	147,880	15	91	237	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	80,066	33	93	142	3,063
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	815	29	63	979	1,882
Sheep and lambs sold	679	49	89	1,058	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	29	52	93	2,170	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	65,449	39	93	383	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	54,286	24	91	295	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	804	47	90	1,099	2,864
Broiler inventory	740	14	83	846	2,620
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	25	60	785	2,588
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Corn for grain-acres	70,674	53	93	357	2,691
Soybeans for beans-acres	47,762	33	81	531	2,144
Hay crops-acres	20,436	41	93	1,016	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	4,899	13	92	317	2,473
Oats-acres	1,820	13	89	397	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	173	89	94
\$10,000 or more	436	468	-7
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	76,157	81,092	-6
Average per farmdollars..	125,259	145,587	-14
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	25,625	16,463	56
Average per farmdollars..	42,147	29,557	43
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	550	492	12
Partnership or corporation	53	62	-15
Other	6	3	100
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	387	424	-9
Other	222	133	67
Operators by sex:			
Male	571	543	5
Female	38	14	171
Operators by race:			
White	607	557	9
Black and other races	2	-	
Average age of operator	51.6	50.6	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.