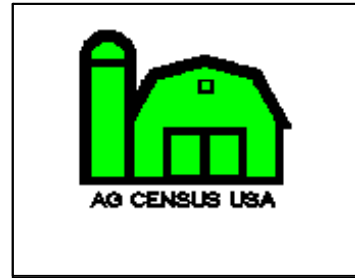


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Land in farms

Decreased slightly from 48,968 acres in 1992 to 48,897 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased slightly from 401 acres in 1992 to 404 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Increased 13 percent from 53 farms in 1992 to 60 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

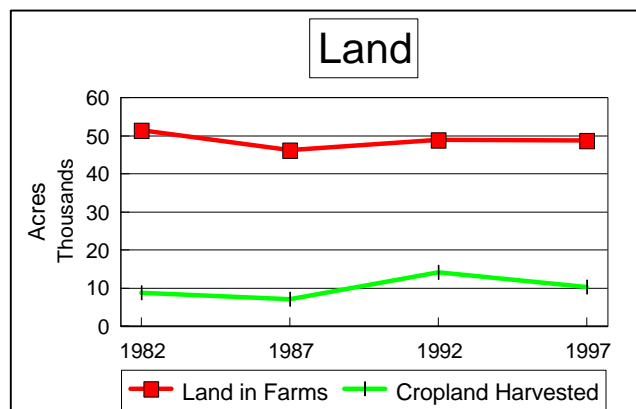
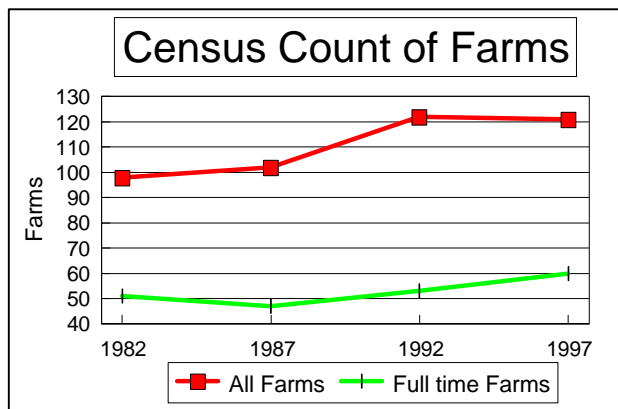
Increased 10 percent to \$7,317,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 54 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 46 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 10 percent from \$54,754 in 1992 to \$60,469 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	7,317	13	17	2,644	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	3,980	11	17	2,243	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	3,337	13	17	2,542	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	3,861	8	17	165	3,043
Cattle and calves	3,194	12	17	1,813	3,063
Dairy products	(D)	9	9	2,201	2,563
Nursery and greenhouse crops	(D)	7	10	2,029	2,790
Barley	(D)	6	8	643	1,167
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	7,621	12	17	1,827	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	34	14	16	2,394	2,765
All goats sold	(D)	10	11	2,264	2,686
Horses and ponies sold	8	13	16	2,791	3,015
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	9	9	2,154	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	14,784	12	17	1,814	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	292	12	17	2,237	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	71	11	15	2,731	3,002
Sheep and lamb inventory	66	14	16	2,340	2,864
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	36	11	13	2,430	2,884
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	10,069	11	17	1,720	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	120	4	7	1,969	2,473
Barley-acres	(D)	9	11	835	1,411
Land in orchards-acres	61	3	14	1,296	2,693
All nursery-acres	(D)	6	7	1,865	2,619

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	71	61	16
\$10,000 or more	50	61	-18
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	5,153	5,527	-7
Average per farmdollars..	42,587	45,304	-6
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	2,541	1,261	102
Average per farmdollars..	20,998	10,335	103
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	100	97	3
Partnership or corporation	18	25	-28
Other	3	-	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	60	53	13
Other	61	69	-12
Operators by sex:			
Male	112	116	-3
Female	9	6	50
Operators by race:			
White	118	121	-2
Black and other races	3	1	200
Average age of operator	55.6	55.6	

(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.