

# 1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture  
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### Land in farms

Increased 3 percent from 102,024 acres in 1992 to 104,790 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Decreased 6 percent from 169 acres in 1992 to 159 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Increased 8 percent from 394 farms in 1992 to 424 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

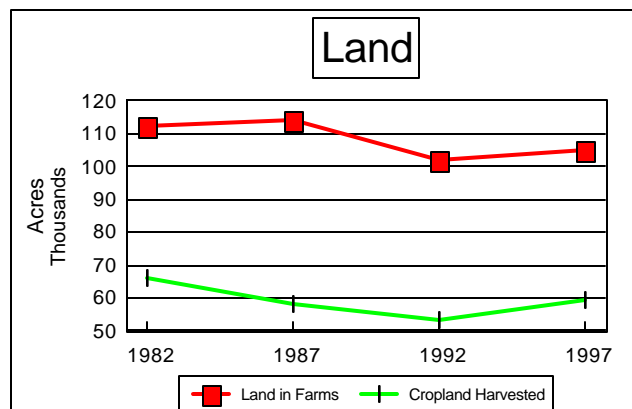
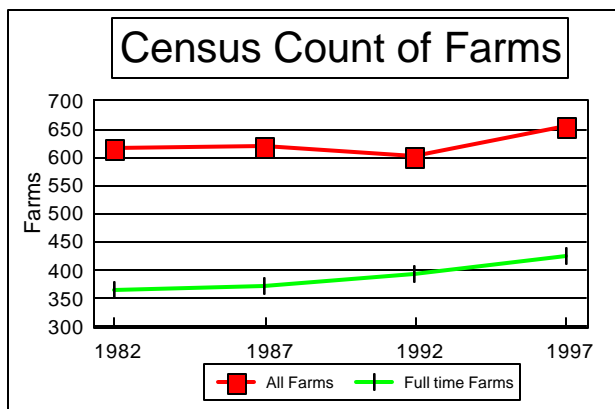
Increased 24 percent to \$40,259,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 48 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 52 percent of the market value.

### Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 13 percent from \$54,133 in 1992 to \$61,277 in 1997.



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### Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	40,259	34	61	1,429	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	20,891	34	58	1,200	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	19,368	17	61	1,286	3,070
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
Dairy products	17,050	31	53	242	2,563
Fruits, nuts, berries	6,633	8	57	132	2,547
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	5,778	11	59	162	2,739
Cattle and calves	3,210	30	56	1,808	3,063
Corn for grain	2,605	14	51	1,027	2,582
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves sold	8,793	29	56	1,711	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	5,081	9	56	1,227	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	869	19	55	885	2,765
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	33	54	1,070	2,203
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	28	47	1,299	1,882
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves inventory	18,073	31	56	1,632	3,064
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	2,339	31	56	927	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	1,814	12	56	1,388	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	1,190	20	55	828	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	539	40	57	1,497	3,066
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Hay crops-acres	24,710	35	56	824	3,061
Corn for grain-acres	12,441	15	53	995	2,691
Corn for silage-acres	6,021	34	54	240	2,473
Land in orchards-acres	5,347	6	56	108	2,693
Wheat-acres	4,315	11	46	1,131	2,612

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

### Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>			
Less than \$10,000 .....	232	219	6
\$10,000 or more .....	425	383	11
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	30,349	25,365	20
Average per farm .....dollars..	46,264	42,065	10
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	7,305	6,622	10
Average per farm .....dollars..	11,135	10,982	1
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	589	532	11
Partnership or corporation .....	65	70	-7
Other .....	3	-	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	424	394	8
Other .....	233	208	12
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	610	557	10
Female .....	47	45	4
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	655	596	10
Black and other races .....	2	6	-67
Average age of operator .....	48.6	48.9	-1

(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.