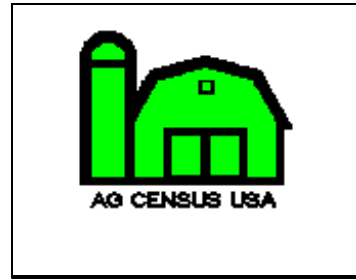


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Land in farms

Increased 9 percent from 405,271 acres in 1992 to 441,324 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 2 percent from 866 acres in 1992 to 884 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 6 percent from 287 farms in 1992 to 271 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

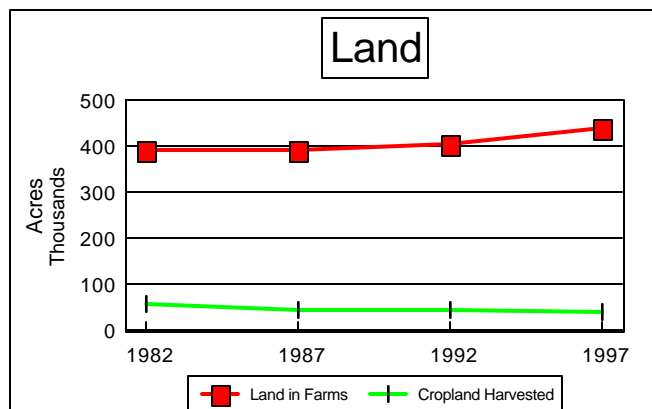
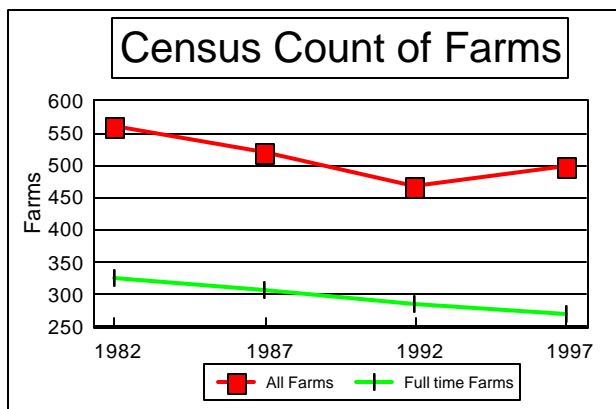
Increased 69 percent to \$50,810,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 9 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 91 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 59 percent from \$64,145 in 1992 to \$101,823 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	50,810	28	77	1,183	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	46,294	18	77	566	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	4,515	48	77	2,178	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	45,869	11	77	142	3,063
Wheat	1,898	34	76	678	2,578
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1,495	2	70	440	2,739
Fruits, nuts, berries	636	3	65	403	2,547
Horses and ponies	318	23	77	488	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	87,051	11	77	128	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	548	30	76	1,181	2,765
Hogs and pigs sold	472	69	77	2,082	2,976
Horses and ponies sold	176	25	77	429	3,015
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	28	46	792	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	83,434	18	77	219	3,064
Horse and pony inventory	1,130	39	77	619	3,066
All goat inventory	960	6	76	208	2,983
Sheep and lamb inventory	892	30	76	1,040	2,864
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	143	73	77	2,491	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	22,100	33	76	504	2,612
Hay crops-acres	12,707	73	77	1,446	3,061
Land in orchards-acres	4,687	5	69	122	2,693
Land used for vegetables-acres	2,156	3	70	278	2,741
Rye for grain-acres	668	15	42	90	1,207

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	234	176	33
\$10,000 or more	265	292	-9
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	38,345	24,430	57
Average per farmdollars..	76,999	52,200	48
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	11,370	4,239	168
Average per farmdollars..	22,830	9,057	152
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	438	400	10
Partnership or corporation	53	65	-18
Other	8	3	167
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	271	287	-6
Other	228	181	26
Operators by sex:			
Male	456	442	3
Female	43	26	65
Operators by race:			
White	477	456	5
Black and other races	22	12	83
Average age of operator	55.5	56.8	-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.