

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Oklahoma Agricultural Statistics Service



LATIMER OKLAHOMA

Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 194,253 acres in 1992 to 202,174 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 12 percent from 355 acres in 1992 to 314 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Increased 12 percent from 238 farms in 1992 to 266 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

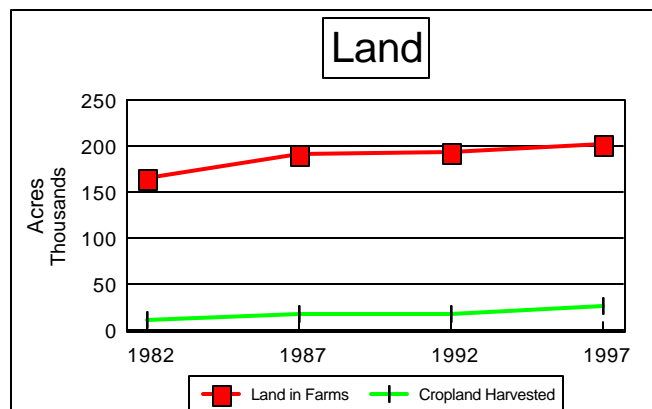
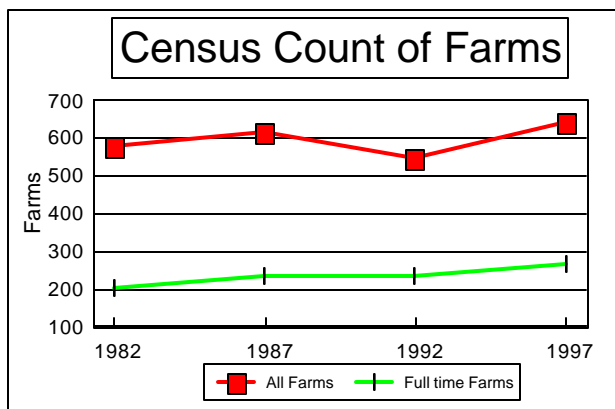
Increased 22 percent to \$10,712,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 6 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 94 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 4 percent from \$16,084 in 1992 to \$16,659 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	10,712	75	77	2,472	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	10,104	70	77	1,853	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	608	76	77	2,834	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	8,429	71	77	1,038	3,063
Poultry & poultry products	1,097	16	76	943	2,901
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	522	66	77	1,570	3,043
Horses and ponies	244	32	77	626	3,015
Hogs and pigs	231	38	77	1,500	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	650,000	12	42	495	1,882
Cattle and calves sold	19,625	71	77	1,007	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	22	77	900	2,976
Rabbits and their pelts sold	(D)	13	46	529	1,593
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	171	37	64	1,207	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	160,098	11	70	465	2,620
Cattle and calves inventory	34,374	70	77	978	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	(D)	36	77	1,380	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	934	46	77	821	3,066
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	704	31	75	846	2,884
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	26,284	49	77	777	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	(D)	56	73	1,800	2,144
Wheat-acres	(D)	73	76	2,099	2,612
Sorghum for grain-acres	(D)	72	73	1,151	1,508
Land in orchards-acres	27	59	69	1,750	2,693

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	475	411	16
\$10,000 or more	168	136	24
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	10,770	8,562	26
Average per farmdollars..	16,776	15,681	7
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	(66)	(297)	78
Average per farmdollars..	(103)	(543)	81
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	599	514	17
Partnership or corporation	36	30	20
Other	8	3	167
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	266	238	12
Other	377	309	22
Operators by sex:			
Male	587	505	16
Female	56	42	33
Operators by race:			
White	582	502	16
Black and other races	61	45	36
Average age of operator	55.5	56.4	-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.