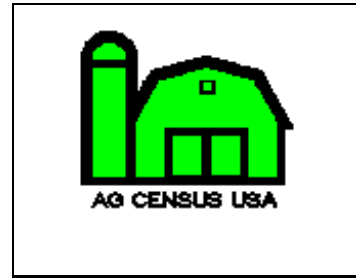


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## YAMHILL OREGON

### Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 179,787 acres in 1992 to 186,320 acres in 1997.

### Average size of farms

Decreased 3 percent from 106 acres in 1992 to 103 acres in 1997.

### Full time farms

Decreased slightly from 668 farms in 1992 to 667 farms in 1997.

### Market value of agricultural products sold

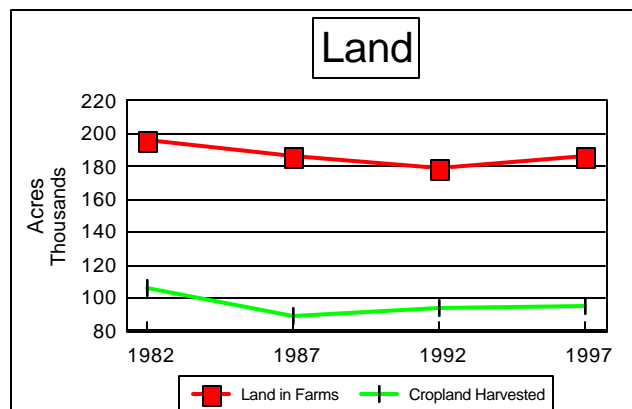
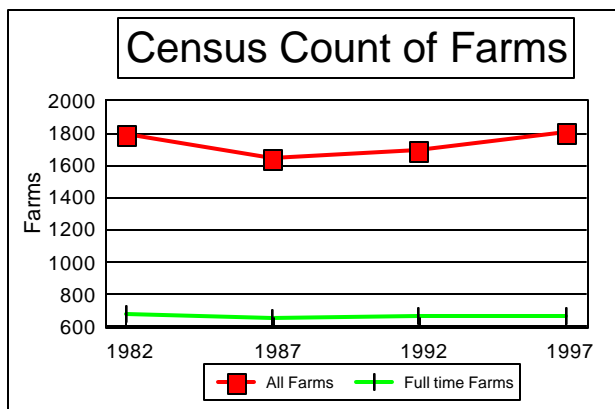
Increased 32 percent to \$162,837,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 79 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 21 percent of the market value.

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

Increased 23 percent from \$73,112 in 1992 to \$89,817 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	162,837	7	36	206	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	129,005	6	36	87	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	33,833	9	36	791	3,069
<b>TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)</b>					
Nursery and greenhouse crops	72,524	4	34	25	2,790
Fruits, nuts, berries	22,553	6	34	78	2,547
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	20,653	6	36	29	3,043
Dairy products	14,696	3	33	276	2,563
Poultry & poultry products	10,384	3	36	428	2,901
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	4,354,223	1	25	283	1,882
Cattle and calves sold	12,927	22	36	1,374	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	10,870	1	36	1,001	2,976
Rabbits and their pelts sold	6,055	4	31	30	1,593
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	3,674	7	32	451	2,200
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)</b>					
Broiler inventory	987,541	1	35	241	2,620
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory (D)		4	36	379	3,002
Cattle and calves inventory	24,519	21	36	1,341	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	6,088	1	36	968	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	5,126	16	36	247	2,864
<b>TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA</b>					
Field seeds-acres	32,904	5	27	5	1,212
Hay crops-acres	19,041	19	36	1,085	3,061
Wheat-acres	13,989	10	31	645	2,612
Land in orchards-acres	13,201	2	34	70	2,693
Land used for vegetables-acres	7,147	7	34	96	2,741

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 .....	1,224	1,174	4
\$10,000 or more .....	589	517	14
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000..	125,681	96,725	30
Average per farm .....dollars..	69,322	57,200	21
<b>Net cash return from agricultural sales</b>			
for the farm unit .....\$1,000..	35,818	26,790	34
Average per farm .....dollars..	19,756	15,843	25
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>			
Individual or family .....	1,572	1,488	6
Partnership or corporation .....	227	194	17
Other .....	14	9	56
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>			
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>			
Farming .....	667	668	-0
Other .....	1,146	1,023	12
<b>Operators by sex:</b>			
Male .....	1,585	1,497	6
Female .....	228	194	18
<b>Operators by race:</b>			
White .....	1,794	1,670	7
Black and other races .....	19	21	-10
Average age of operator .....	53.7	52.8	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.