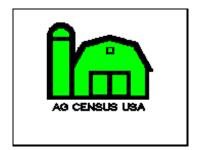
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Land in farms

Decreased 1 percent from 39,561 acres in 1992 to 39,045 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Unchanged from 187 acres in 1992 to 187 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Unchanged from 80 farms in 1992 to 80 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

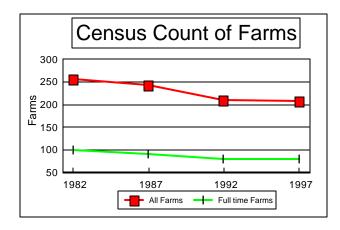
Increased 13 percent to \$4,281,000 in 1997.

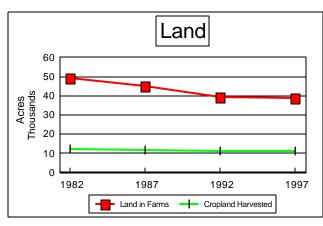
Crop sales accounted for 25 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 75 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 14 percent from \$17,993 in 1992 to \$20,483 in 1997.





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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

		State		U.S.	
Item	Quantity	Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	4,281	62	67	2,806	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	3,224	58	67	2,563	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	1,057	62	67	2,713	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Dairy products	2,560	57	67	942	2,563
Cattle and calves	573	58	67	2,729	3,063
Nursery and greenhouse crops	463	62	66	1,373	2,790
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	435	59	66	1,739	3,043
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	102	58	66	1,369	2,739
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	1,717	58	67	2,696	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	328	56	67	2,229	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	131	57	65	1,905	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	50	35	65	1,648	3,015
Rabbits and their pelts sold	47	51	58	1,013	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	4,365	58	67	2,631	3,064
Sheep and lamb inventory	318	54	65	1,647	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	284	55	67	2,258	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	282	63	66	2,113	3,002
Hogs and pigs inventory	163	57	67	2,330	3,005
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	9,327	57	66	1,778	3,061
Corn for silage-acres	1,247	54	66	926	2,473
Corn for grain-acres	337	65	66	2,159	2,691
Oats-acres	330	59	63	1,173	2,332
All nursery-acres	249	52	65	827	2,619

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

			Percent	
Item	1997	1992	Change	
Farms by value of sales:				
Less than \$10,000	139	155	-10	
\$10,000 or more	70	56	25	
Total farm production expenses\$1,000	3,271	2,959	11	
Average per farmdollars	15,574	14,025	11	
Net cash return from agricultural sales				
for the farm unit\$1,000	68	(150)	145	
Average per farmdollars	323	(711)	145	
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family	185	188	-2	
Partnership or corporation	22	22		
Other	2	1	100	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS				
Operators by principal occupation:				
Farming	80	80		
Other	129	131	-2	
Operators by sex:				
Male	193	198	-3	
Female	16	13	23	
Operators by race:				
White	208	211	-1	
Black and other races	1	-		
Average age of operator	52.5	53.6	-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.

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