

1997 Census of Agriculture Profiles

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County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania Agricultural Statistics Service

PHILADELPHIA
PENNSYLVANIA

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	773	66	67	3,014	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	(D)	63	67	2,830	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	(D)	66	67	3,014	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Nursery and greenhouse crops	(D)	55	66	1,217	2,790
Dairy products	(D)	66	67	2,257	2,563
Hogs and pigs	(D)	56	67	2,126	2,976
Cattle and calves	(D)	67	67	3,047	3,063
Colonies of bees and honey	(D)	44	60	1,475	1,992
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	57	67	2,241	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	(D)	67	67	3,049	3,063
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	(D)	67	67	3,040	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	(D)	62	67	2,558	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	60	66	67	2,956	3,066
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	61	65	2,015	2,588
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
All nursery-acres	(D)	63	65	1,509	2,619

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	2	2	
\$10,000 or more	7	4	75
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	551	354	56
Average per farmdollars..	61,231	59,047	4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	222	157	41
Average per farmdollars..	24,633	26,177	-6
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	5	4	25
Partnership or corporation	4	1	300
Other	-	1	-100
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	7	4	75
Other	2	2	
Operators by sex:			
Male	6	5	20
Female	3	1	200
Operators by race:			
White	9	6	50
Black and other races			
Average age of operator	54.7	59.8	-9

(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.