

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
South Dakota Agricultural Statistics Service



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Land in farms

Increased 10 percent from 1,204,465 acres in 1992 to 1,325,137 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 14 percent from 3,752 acres in 1992 to 4,288 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 3 percent from 258 farms in 1992 to 250 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

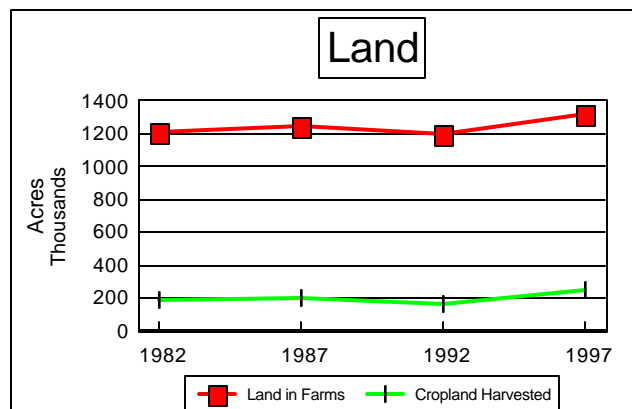
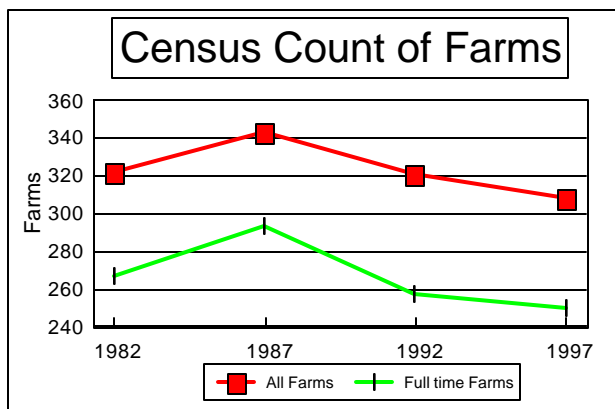
Increased 27 percent to \$40,786,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 34 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 66 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 32 percent from \$99,946 in 1992 to \$131,994 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	40,786	43	66	1,414	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	26,770	33	66	971	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	14,017	43	66	1,527	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	25,824	17	66	296	3,063
Wheat	11,439	6	66	197	2,578
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	1,086	32	66	859	3,043
All other grains: rye, drybeans, etc	548	36	64	393	1,971
Hogs and pigs	402	48	66	1,306	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	53,282	11	66	263	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	4,388	47	66	1,273	2,976
Sheep and lambs sold	4,151	27	65	275	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	49	48	66	1,672	3,015
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	36	39	1,967	2,203
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	86,855	8	66	202	3,064
Sheep and lamb inventory	8,105	12	65	182	2,864
Hogs and pigs inventory	1,847	50	66	1,383	3,005
Horse and pony inventory	885	18	66	875	3,066
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	368	36	65	1,925	3,002
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Wheat-acres	136,440	4	66	125	2,612
Hay crops-acres	94,353	7	66	49	3,061
Oats-acres	7,500	8	66	66	2,332
Proso millet-acres	6,813	5	50	15	190
Corn for grain-acres	4,043	55	65	1,411	2,691

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	49	85	-42
\$10,000 or more	260	236	10
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	29,618	26,379	12
Average per farmdollars..	95,853	81,921	17
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	8,914	6,397	39
Average per farmdollars..	28,847	19,866	45
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	252	275	-8
Partnership or corporation	54	42	29
Other	3	4	-25
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	250	258	-3
Other	59	63	-6
Operators by sex:			
Male	286	307	-7
Female	23	14	64
Operators by race:			
White	307	318	-3
Black and other races	2	3	-33
Average age of operator	54.4	52.5	4

(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.