

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
South Dakota Agricultural Statistics Service



KINGSBURY SOUTH DAKOTA

Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 460,063 acres in 1992 to 480,507 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 11 percent from 749 acres in 1992 to 828 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 7 percent from 471 farms in 1992 to 440 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

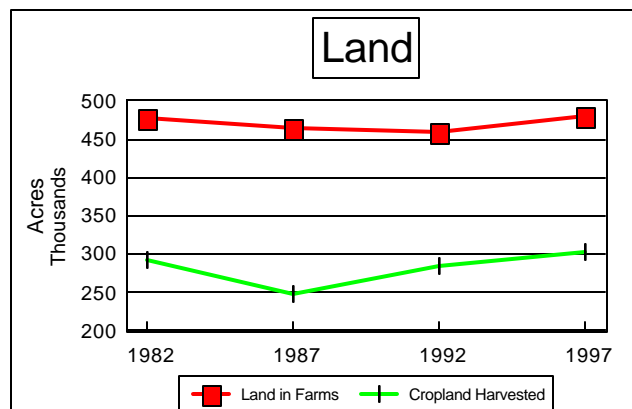
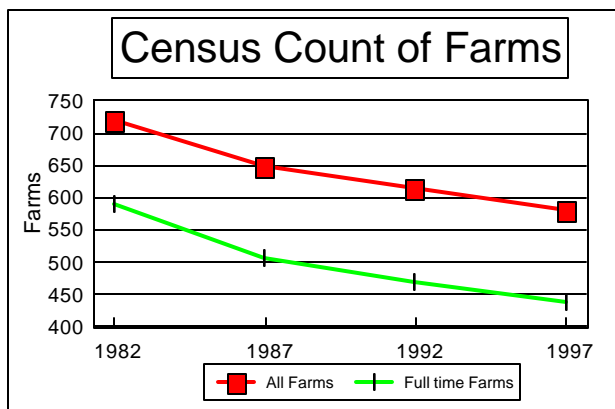
Increased 16 percent to \$73,110,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 59 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 41 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 23 percent from \$102,780 in 1992 to \$126,052 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	73,110	14	66	783	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	43,106	11	66	658	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	30,004	27	66	880	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	24,545	19	66	316	3,063
Soybeans	20,139	11	60	296	2,136
Corn for grain	14,240	15	65	452	2,582
Wheat	4,707	27	66	386	2,578
Hogs and pigs	2,795	36	66	712	2,976
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	41,443	21	66	394	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	24,928	37	66	758	2,976
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	10	47	308	2,200
Sheep and lambs sold	8,268	9	65	150	2,765
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	20	38	1,105	1,882
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	61,362	26	66	436	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	9,666	39	66	824	3,005
Sheep and lamb inventory	8,167	11	65	179	2,864
Colony of bees inventory	(D)	28	56	314	2,588
Ducks, geese, and other poultry inventory	1,714	14	61	497	2,884
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Soybeans for beans-acres	109,512	8	60	164	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	90,104	12	65	252	2,691
Hay crops-acres	43,062	35	66	365	3,061
Wheat-acres	42,421	31	66	339	2,612
Sunflower seed-acres	11,160	19	55	57	674

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	117	118	-1
\$10,000 or more	463	496	-7
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	56,312	49,695	13
Average per farmdollars..	97,089	80,936	20
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	18,047	13,084	38
Average per farmdollars..	31,115	21,310	46
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	527	557	-5
Partnership or corporation	49	53	-8
Other	4	4	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	440	471	-7
Other	140	143	-2
Operators by sex:			
Male	564	604	-7
Female	16	10	60
Operators by race:			
White	579	612	-5
Black and other races	1	2	-50
Average age of operator	50.6	51.9	-3

(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.