

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Washington Agricultural Statistics Service



CLALLAM WASHINGTON

Land in farms

Decreased 13 percent from 24,253 acres in 1992 to 21,034 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 3 percent from 74 acres in 1992 to 72 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 11 percent from 144 farms in 1992 to 128 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

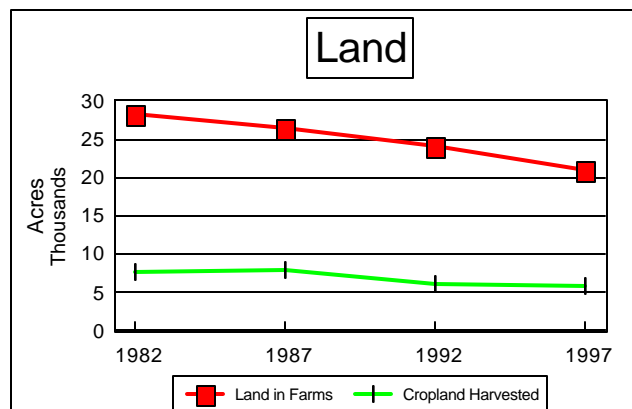
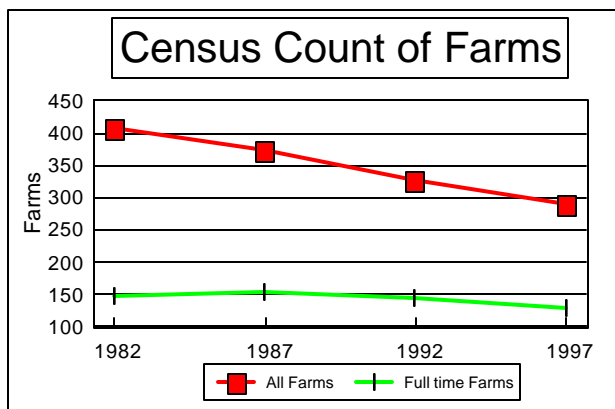
Decreased 16 percent to \$6,011,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 45 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 55 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Decreased 5 percent from \$21,772 in 1992 to \$20,584 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	6,011	33	39	2,713	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	3,281	32	39	2,553	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	2,730	32	39	2,404	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Dairy products	1,942	21	31	1,070	2,563
Nursery and greenhouse crops	1,077	22	37	943	2,790
Cattle and calves	988	33	39	2,547	3,063
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	935	20	39	988	3,043
Fruits, nuts, berries	372	25	38	527	2,547
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	2,417	32	39	2,578	3,063
Sheep and lambs sold	491	22	39	1,255	2,765
Hogs and pigs sold	361	26	39	2,198	2,976
All goats sold	176	10	37	545	2,686
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	(D)	26	34	1,211	2,200
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	5,758	32	39	2,499	3,064
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	607	20	39	1,526	3,002
Sheep and lamb inventory	583	22	39	1,313	2,864
Horse and pony inventory	561	28	39	1,443	3,066
Broiler inventory	314	17	36	1,120	2,620
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	5,457	27	39	2,213	3,061
Barley-acres	453	20	31	518	1,411
All nursery-acres	160	27	36	1,004	2,619
Field seeds-acres	(D)	17	20	485	1,212
Land used for vegetables-acres	96	26	37	1,260	2,741

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	237	265	-11
\$10,000 or more	55	63	-13
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	6,373	5,462	17
Average per farmdollars..	21,824	16,704	31
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	1,082	384	182
Average per farmdollars..	3,705	1,176	215
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	260	297	-12
Partnership or corporation	29	30	-3
Other	3	1	200
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	128	144	-11
Other	164	184	-11
Operators by sex:			
Male	223	282	-21
Female	69	46	50
Operators by race:			
White	287	324	-11
Black and other races	5	4	25
Average age of operator	56.0	56.1	-0

(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.