

## 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

### Mohave, Arizona

#### Number of farms

239 farms in 2002, 295 farms in 1997, down 19 percent.

#### Land in farms

792,992 acres in 2002, 1,023,964 acres in 1997, down 23 percent.

#### Average size of farm

3,318 acres in 2002, 3,471 acres in 1997, down 4 percent.

#### Market Value of Production

\$16,337,000 in 2002, \$17,329,000 in 1997, down 6 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$10,767,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$5,570,000 of the total value in 2002.

#### Market Value of Production, average per farm

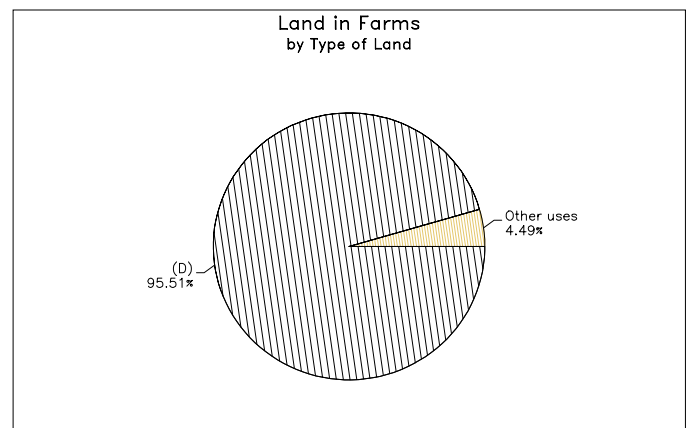
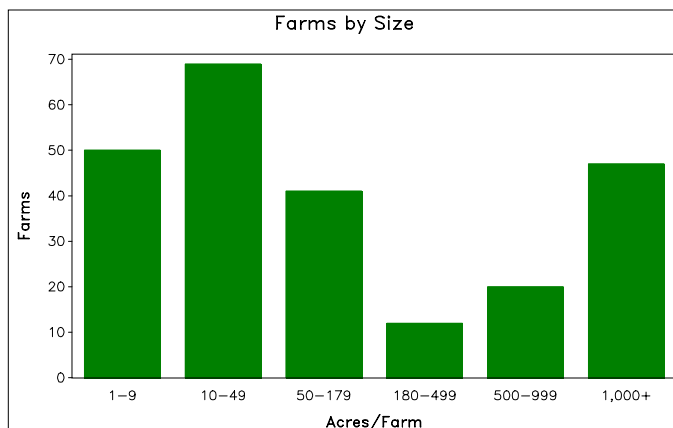
\$68,354 in 2002, \$58,741 in 1997, up 16 percent.

#### Government Payments

\$730,000 in 2002, \$502,000 in 1997, up 45 percent.

#### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$22,802 in 2002, \$16,185 in 1997, up 41 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 15 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	16,337	10	15	2,228	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	10,767	9	15	1,598	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,570	10	15	2,285	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	272	8	14	774	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	192	10	13	1,836	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	6	3	5	1,349	1,774
Other crops and hay	7,015	6	15	194	3,046
Poultry and eggs	10	7	15	1,978	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	12	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	7	9	14	2,435	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	25	10	15	1,744	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	75	13	15	2,042	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	6	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	1	13	14	2,389	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	15,488	11	15	1,712	3,059
Horses and ponies	1,062	10	15	1,198	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	742	4	15	1,615	2,983
All Goats	628	6	14	817	2,971
Hogs and pigs	133	6	14	2,219	2,926
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14,497	6	15	1,398	3,059
All Cotton	4,357	7	9	350	663
All Field and grass seed crops	(D)	5	7	(D)	1,293
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	(D)	4	8	(D)	571
Pecans	117	7	11	421	1,194

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	82	Farming	159
\$1,000 to \$2,499	42	Other	80
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	Male	171
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Female	68
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.9
\$25,000 to \$39,999	19	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	White	365
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18	Black or African American	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	21
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	9	Asian	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,866	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	70,864	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	26
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,133		
Average per farm (\$)	4,763		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.