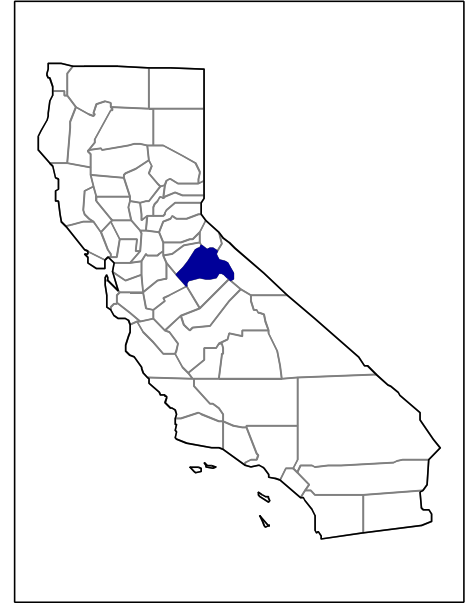




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Number of farms

358 farms in 2002, 356 farms in 1997, up 1 percent.

Land in farms

149,767 acres in 2002, 171,788 acres in 1997, down 13 percent.

Average size of farm

418 acres in 2002, 483 acres in 1997, down 13 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$23,569,000 in 2002, \$19,819,000 in 1997, up 19 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$1,134,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$22,435,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

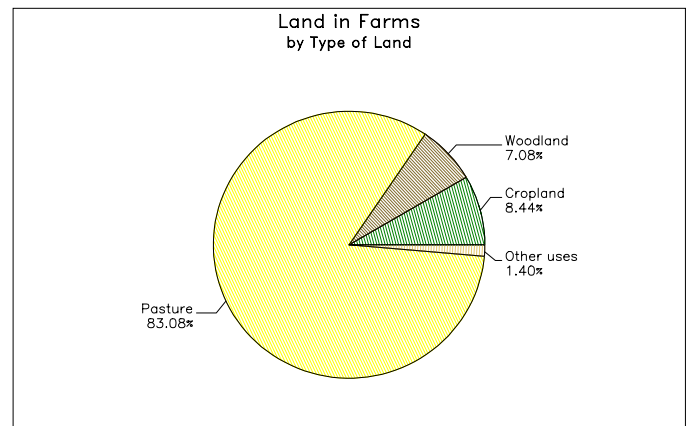
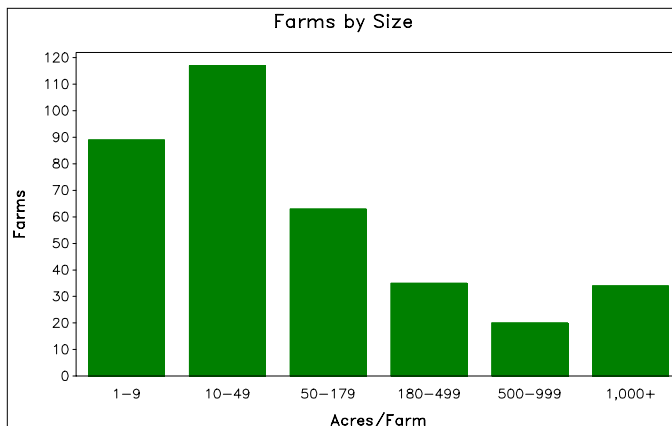
\$65,836 in 2002, \$55,671 in 1997, up 18 percent.

Government Payments

\$41,000 in 2002, \$2,000 in 1997, up 1,950 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$3,746 in 2002, \$226 in 1997, up 1,558 percent.



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Ranked items among the 58 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	23,569	44	58	1,943	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,134	53	58	2,689	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	22,435	26	58	1,202	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	48	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	17	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	582	46	55	480	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	323	49	55	1,624	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	72	24	43	530	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	57	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	17,793	13	56	332	2,918
Cattle and calves	3,667	42	57	1,760	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	268	40	47	1,907	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	94	42	56	846	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	80	48	56	1,978	3,014
Aquaculture	468	20	51	274	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Turkeys	649,359	5	48	43	2,328
Cattle and calves	12,251	42	57	1,890	3,059
All Goats	3,031	13	55	108	2,971
Horses and ponies	1,230	37	57	1,010	3,065
Sheep and lambs	1,197	44	57	851	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	457	53	57	2,962	3,059
Apples	115	31	53	337	2,173
English Walnuts	(D)	33	49	(D)	213
Cut Christmas trees	60	22	45	772	1,877
Corn for silage	(D)	29	33	(D)	2,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	127
\$1,000 to \$2,499	71
\$2,500 to \$4,999	42
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2
\$500,000 or more	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	16,459
Average per farm (\$)	46,102
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,283
Average per farm (\$)	20,399

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	198
Other	160
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	279
Female	79
Average age of principal operator (years)	56.6
All operators ² by race:	
White	541
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	8
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	22

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

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.