

# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Camas, Idaho

### Number of farms

106 farms in 2002, 102 farms in 1997, up 4 percent.

### Land in farms

134,168 acres in 2002, 126,901 acres in 1997, up 6 percent.

### Average size of farm

1,266 acres in 2002, 1,244 acres in 1997, up 2 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$6,364,000 in 2002, \$8,786,000 in 1997, down 28 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$5,399,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$965,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

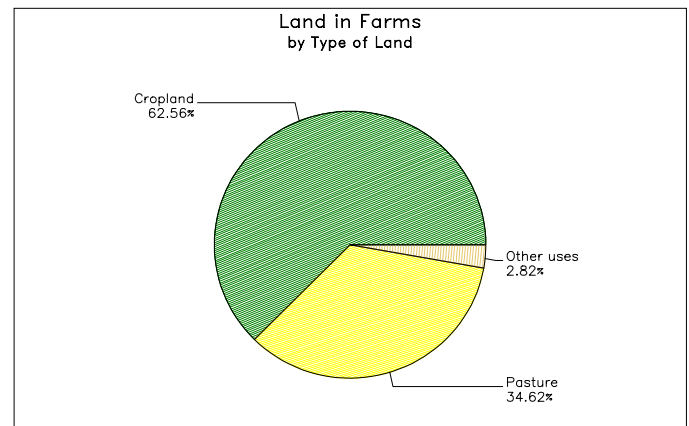
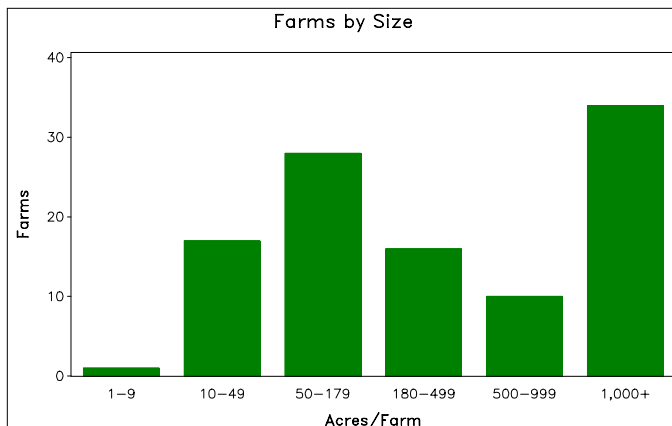
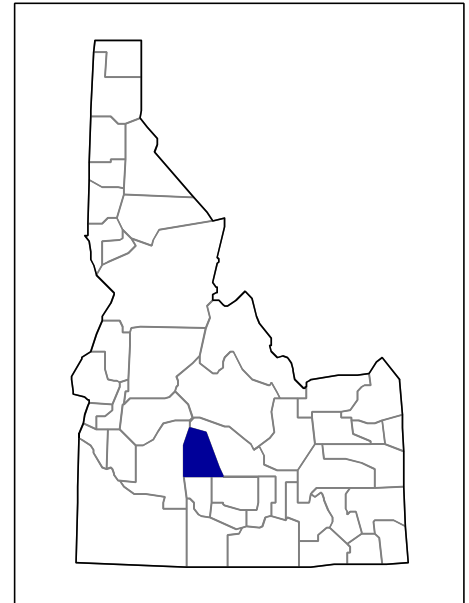
\$60,037 in 2002, \$86,134 in 1997, down 30 percent.

### Government Payments

\$567,000 in 2002, \$357,000 in 1997, up 59 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$12,328 in 2002, \$5,956 in 1997, up 107 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 44 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                               | 6,364    | 40         | 44                    | 2,694     | 3,075                 |
| Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse                         | 5,399    | 35         | 44                    | 2,045     | 3,070                 |
| Value of livestock, poultry, and their products                         | 965      | 41         | 44                    | 2,877     | 3,070                 |
| <b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>                      |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas                               | (D)      | (D)        | 42                    | (D)       | 2,871                 |
| Tobacco   | -        | -          | -                     | -         | 560                   |
| Cotton and cottonseed   | -        | -          | -                     | -         | 656                   |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes                        | (D)      | (D)        | 39                    | (D)       | 2,747                 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries  | (D)      | (D)        | 36                    | (D)       | 2,638                 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod                              | -        | -          | 39                    | -         | 2,708                 |
| Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops                      | -        | -          | 16                    | -         | 1,774                 |
| Other crops and hay   | 4,634    | 21         | 44                    | 262       | 3,046                 |
| Poultry and eggs  | (D)      | (D)        | 41                    | (D)       | 2,918                 |
| Cattle and calves   | 960      | 41         | 44                    | 2,567     | 3,053                 |
| Milk and other dairy products from cows                                 | -        | -          | 37                    | -         | 2,493                 |
| Hogs and pigs   | -        | -          | 40                    | -         | 2,919                 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products  | (D)      | (D)        | 44                    | (D)       | 2,997                 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys                              | (D)      | (D)        | 44                    | (D)       | 3,014                 |
| Aquaculture   | -        | -          | 25                    | -         | 1,520                 |
| Other animals and other animal products                                 | -        | -          | 41                    | -         | 2,727                 |
| <b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>                           |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Cattle and calves   | 2,389    | 43         | 44                    | 2,774     | 3,059                 |
| Horses and ponies   | 114      | 44         | 44                    | 2,939     | 3,065                 |
| Sheep and lambs   | (D)      | 44         | 44                    | (D)       | 2,867                 |
| Mules, burros, and donkeys  | (D)      | 41         | 42                    | (D)       | 2,649                 |
| <b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>   |          |            |                       |           |                       |
| Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop | 45,358   | 8          | 44                    | 381       | 3,059                 |
| Barley  | 14,634   | 15         | 41                    | 77        | 1,246                 |
| All Field and grass seed crops  | 2,462    | 9          | 31                    | 91        | 1,293                 |
| All Wheat for grain   | 458      | 37         | 40                    | 1,808     | 2,517                 |
| Mustard seed  | (D)      | 6          | 10                    | (D)       | 92                    |

**Other County Highlights**

| Economic Characteristics                    | Quantity | Operator Characteristics  | Quantity |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Farms by value of sales                     |          | Principal operators by primary occupation:                        |          |
| Less than \$1,000                           | 38       | Farming   | 71       |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499                          | 1        | Other   | 35       |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999                          | 10       |   |          |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999                          | 9        | Principal operators by sex:                                       |          |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999                        | 11       | Male  | 91       |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999                        | 2        | Female  | 15       |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999                        | 4        |   |          |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999                        | 2        | Average age of principal operator (years)                         | 54.1     |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999                        | 12       |   |          |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999                      | 8        | All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:                               |          |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999                      | 8        | White   | 148      |
| \$500,000 or more                           | 1        | Black or African American   | -        |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)    | 6,429    | American Indian or Alaska Native                                  | 4        |
| Average per farm (\$)                       | 60,647   | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander                         | -        |
|   |          | Asian   | -        |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | 1,757    | More than one race  | -        |
| Average per farm (\$)                       | 16,575   | All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin | 7        |

(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.