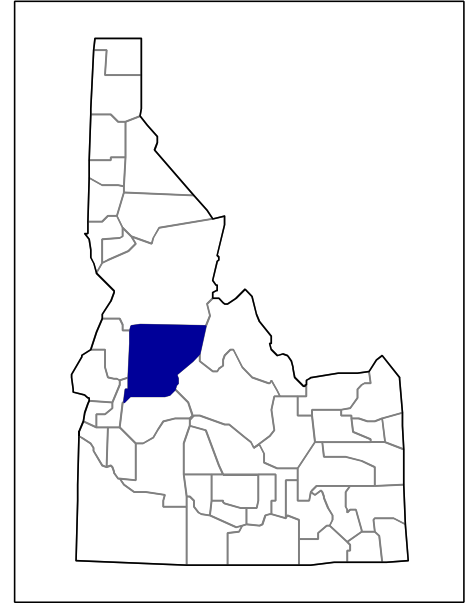


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Number of farms

156 farms in 2002, 141 farms in 1997, up 11 percent.

Land in farms

65,501 acres in 2002, 70,957 acres in 1997, down 8 percent.

Average size of farm

420 acres in 2002, 503 acres in 1997, down 17 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$3,494,000 in 2002, \$7,591,000 in 1997, down 54 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$966,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$2,528,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

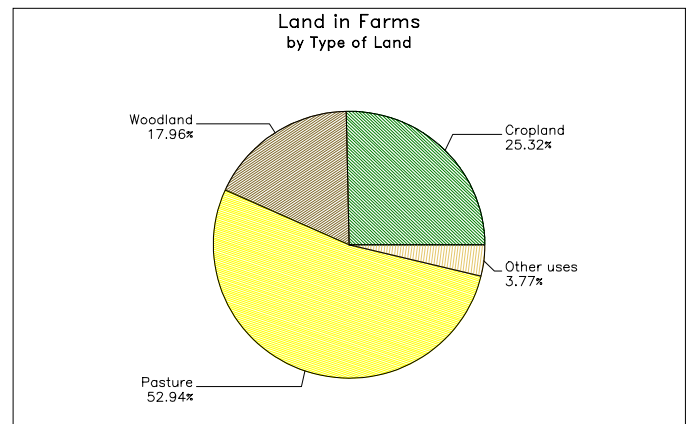
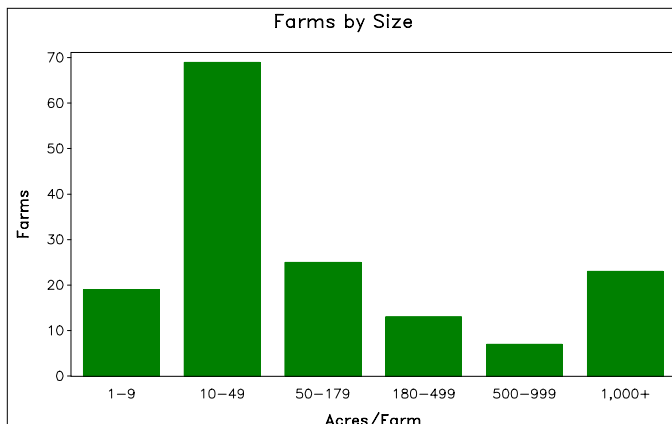
\$22,397 in 2002, \$53,835 in 1997, down 58 percent.

Government Payments

\$91,000 in 2002, \$73,000 in 1997, up 25 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$5,056 in 2002, \$4,271 in 1997, up 18 percent.



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Ranked items among the 44 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	3,494	42	44	2,857	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	966	42	44	2,743	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,528	37	44	2,631	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
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	167	31	39	1,897	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	16	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	450	42	44	1,985	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	41	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	2,144	34	44	2,122	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	37	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	3	36	40	2,639	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	37	40	44	2,509	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	25	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	41	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	5,017	38	44	2,521	3,059
Horses and ponies	656	37	44	1,835	3,065
Sheep and lambs	(D)	34	44	(D)	2,867
Deer	187	1	6	308	1,080
Llamas	134	11	38	269	2,112
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,647	42	44	2,494	3,059
Oats	985	4	42	523	2,215
Mint for oil	(D)	7	9	(D)	87
All Field and grass seed crops	(D)	25	31	(D)	1,293
Potatoes	(D)	27	31	(D)	1,551

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	81
\$1,000 to \$2,499	19
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	4,502
Average per farm (\$)	28,856
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-195
Average per farm (\$)	-1,248

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	86
Other	70
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	141
Female	15
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.2
All operators ² by race:	
White	251
Black or African American	-
American Indian or Alaska Native	7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	-

(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.