

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Ellsworth, Kansas

Number of farms

478 farms in 2002, 444 farms in 1997, up 8 percent.

Land in farms

412,986 acres in 2002, 371,777 acres in 1997, up 11 percent.

Average size of farm

864 acres in 2002, 837 acres in 1997, up 3 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$24,693,000 in 2002, \$29,891,000 in 1997, down 17 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$13,381,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$11,312,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

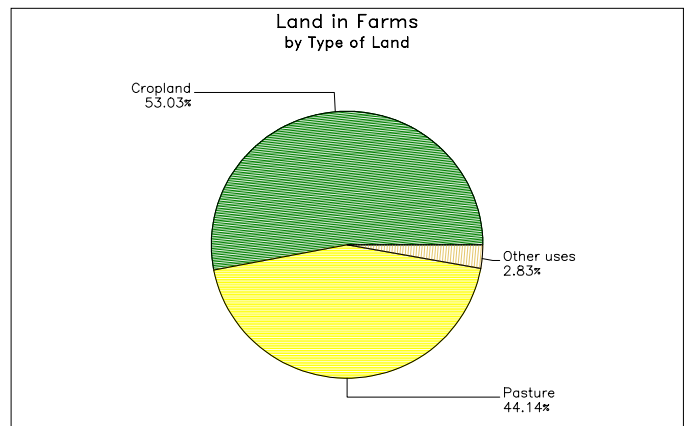
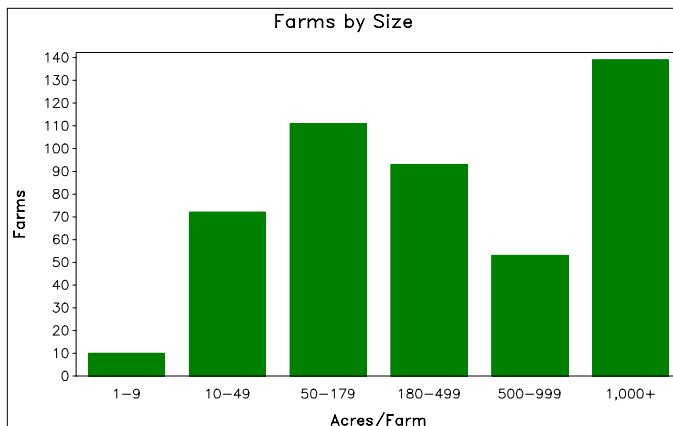
\$51,659 in 2002, \$67,322 in 1997, down 23 percent.

Government Payments

\$2,289,000 in 2002, \$2,650,000 in 1997, down 14 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$6,138 in 2002, \$7,444 in 1997, down 18 percent.



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Ranked items among the 105 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	24,693	97	105	1,893	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	13,381	77	105	1,461	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	11,312	98	105	1,771	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	12,473	73	105	908	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	28	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	686	93	105	1,610	3,046
Poultry and eggs	1	80	100	2,599	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	32	51	105	1,578	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	13	93	105	2,863	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	37,322	75	105	846	3,059
Sheep and lambs	595	44	103	1,338	2,867
Hogs and pigs	374	81	105	1,762	2,926
Layers 20 weeks old and older	373	54	105	2,122	2,983
Horses and ponies	334	76	105	2,531	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
All Wheat for grain	88,505	41	105	149	2,517
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	31,362	42	105	683	3,059
Sorghum for grain	28,323	41	105	74	1,307
Soybeans	2,749	86	105	1,316	2,076
Corn for grain	1,332	102	105	1,709	2,592

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	154	Farming	300
\$1,000 to \$2,499	13	Other	178
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	40	Male	429
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Female	49
\$25,000 to \$39,999	41		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	63		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	63	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	17	White	647
\$500,000 or more	2	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	22,502	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	46,781	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,639	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	9,645	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	4

(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.