

# 2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

## Shawnee, Kansas

### Number of farms

903 farms in 2002, 883 farms in 1997, up 2 percent.

### Land in farms

216,812 acres in 2002, 219,019 acres in 1997, down 1 percent.

### Average size of farm

240 acres in 2002, 248 acres in 1997, down 3 percent.

### Market Value of Production

\$21,975,000 in 2002, \$28,396,000 in 1997, down 23 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$15,306,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$6,669,000 of the total value in 2002.

### Market Value of Production, average per farm

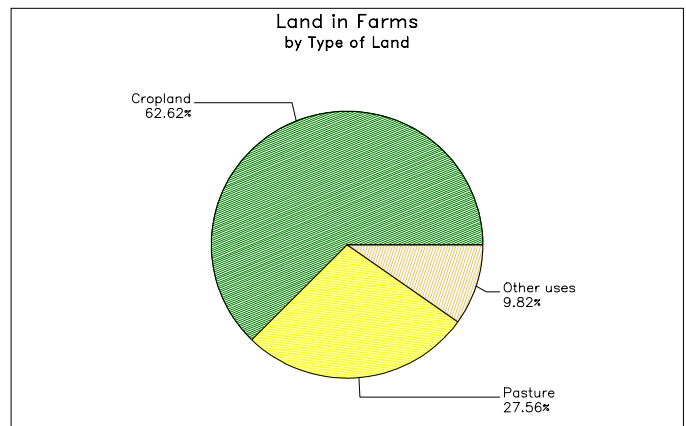
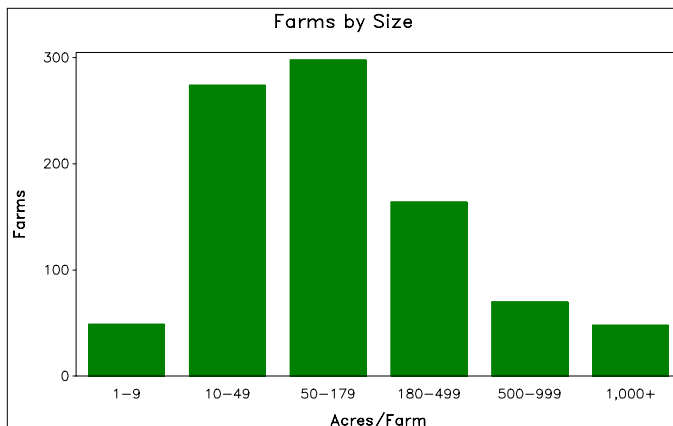
\$24,336 in 2002, \$32,159 in 1997, down 24 percent.

### Government Payments

\$1,459,000 in 2002, \$1,368,000 in 1997, up 7 percent.

### Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$4,228 in 2002, \$4,060 in 1997, up 4 percent.



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**Ranked items among the 105 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	21,975	103	105	2,010	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	15,306	68	105	1,369	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,669	104	105	2,166	3,070
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	11,714	79	105	935	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	28	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	445	8	66	1,046	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,557	11	77	909	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,530	42	105	854	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	6,055	102	105	1,375	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	291	71	99	1,870	2,493
Hogs and pigs	63	83	105	1,623	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	50	31	105	1,264	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	151	21	105	1,389	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	22	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	36	26	87	1,265	2,727
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	19,226	101	105	1,506	3,059
Horses and ponies	1,242	12	105	996	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	672	26	105	1,679	2,983
Pigeons	459	4	50	107	1,368
Ducks	438	1	86	265	2,630
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans	37,139	23	105	651	2,076
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	36,873	31	105	555	3,059
Corn for grain	27,361	27	105	693	2,592
Sorghum for grain	6,309	84	105	224	1,307
All Wheat for grain	5,629	98	105	868	2,517

**Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	277	Farming	456
\$1,000 to \$2,499	119	Other	447
\$2,500 to \$4,999	111		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	110	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	101	Male	798
\$20,000 to \$24,999	34	Female	105
\$25,000 to \$39,999	39		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	37	All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16	White	1,238
\$500,000 or more	4	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	22,989	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
Average per farm (\$)	25,291	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,141	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	1,255	All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	32

(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.