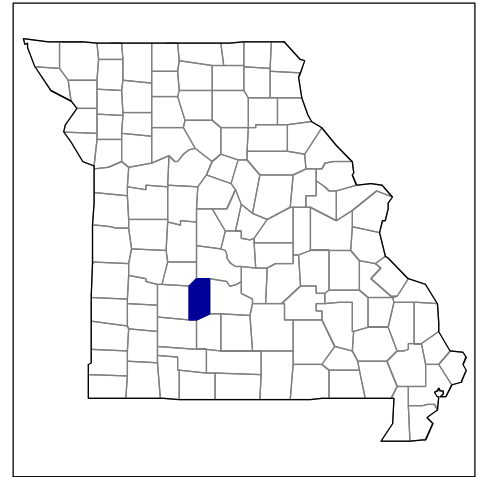




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Number of farms

1,243 farms in 2002, 1,271 farms in 1997, down 2 percent.

Land in farms

234,739 acres in 2002, 234,376 acres in 1997, up slightly.

Average size of farm

189 acres in 2002, 184 acres in 1997, up 3 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$36,670,000 in 2002, \$28,620,000 in 1997, up 28 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$2,283,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$34,387,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

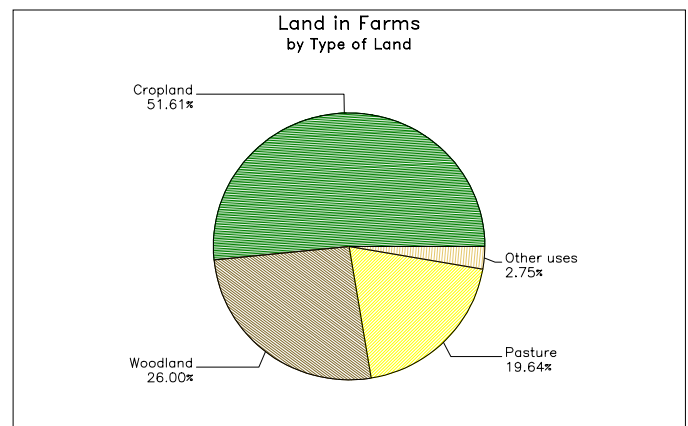
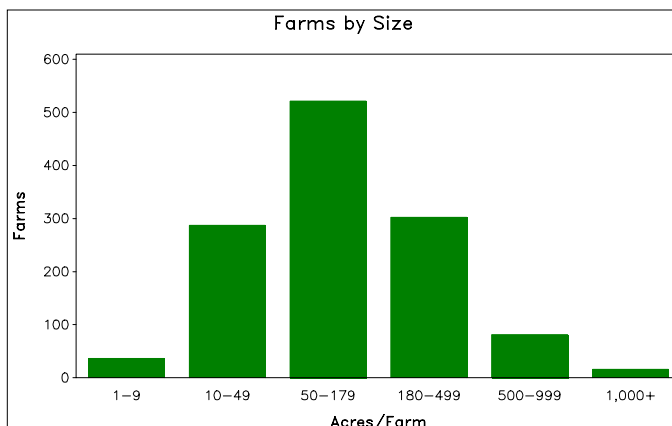
\$29,501 in 2002, \$22,518 in 1997, up 31 percent.

Government Payments

\$827,000 in 2002, \$232,000 in 1997, up 256 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$2,892 in 2002, \$4,386 in 1997, down 34 percent.



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Ranked items among the 114 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	36,670	58	114	1,518	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,283	95	114	2,458	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	34,387	25	114	837	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	95	98	112	2,392	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	20	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	8	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	104	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	173	32	105	984	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	96	75	108	2,094	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,847	25	114	710	3,046
Poultry and eggs	7,197	18	114	536	2,918
Cattle and calves	15,672	28	114	669	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	11,089	8	109	344	2,493
Hogs and pigs	78	92	112	1,536	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	59	35	113	1,139	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	253	34	113	886	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	46	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	38	33	107	1,239	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Turkeys	229,669	10	100	100	2,328
Cattle and calves	59,739	21	114	428	3,059
Quail	25,700	2	57	39	1,412
Layers 20 weeks old and older	2,330	28	113	948	2,983
Horses and ponies	2,324	15	114	368	3,065
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	58,220	18	114	206	3,059
All Field and grass seed crops	6,036	23	108	50	1,293
Corn for silage	452	60	101	1,468	2,307
All Wheat for grain	440	86	111	1,820	2,517
Soybeans	124	98	103	1,869	2,076

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	266	Farming	696
\$1,000 to \$2,499	201	Other	547
\$2,500 to \$4,999	144		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	180	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	157	Male	1,096
\$20,000 to \$24,999	46	Female	147
\$25,000 to \$39,999	62		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	28	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999	81		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	53	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15	White	1,881
\$500,000 or more	10	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	30,843	American Indian or Alaska Native	6
Average per farm (\$)	24,854	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,192	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	5,795	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	11

(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.