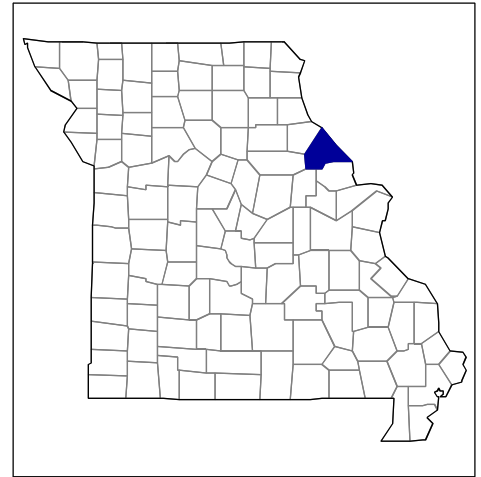




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Number of farms

1,061 farms in 2002, 1,066 farms in 1997, down slightly.

Land in farms

344,418 acres in 2002, 334,589 acres in 1997, up 3 percent.

Average size of farm

325 acres in 2002, 314 acres in 1997, up 4 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$54,916,000 in 2002, \$55,942,000 in 1997, down 2 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$28,119,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$26,797,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

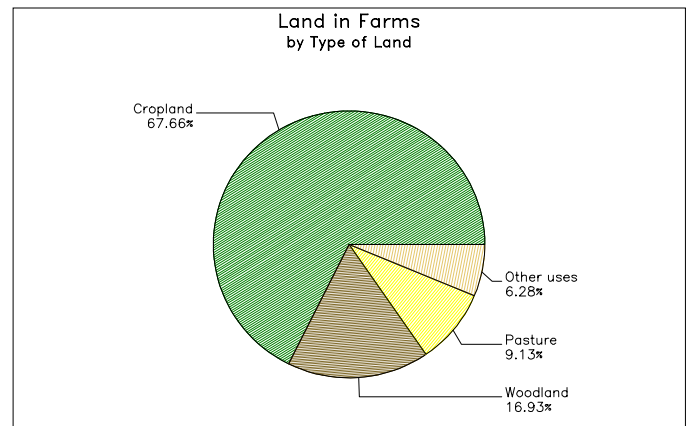
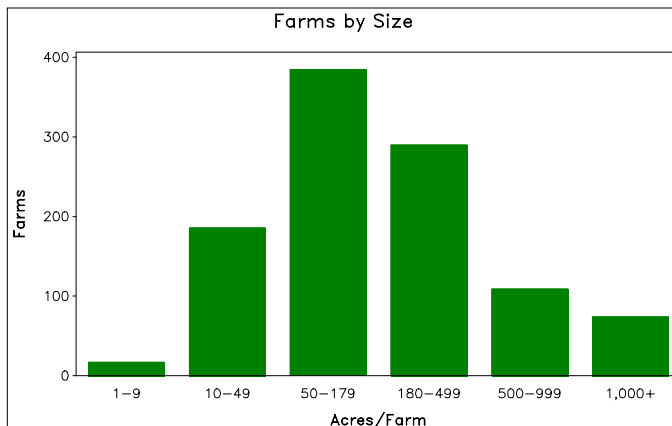
\$51,759 in 2002, \$52,478 in 1997, down 1 percent.

Government Payments

\$3,392,000 in 2002, \$2,990,000 in 1997, up 13 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$6,101 in 2002, \$5,174 in 1997, up 18 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	54,916	32	114	1,048	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	28,119	18	114	910	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	26,797	39	114	1,026	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	25,969	16	112	546	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	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	857	23	108	1,160	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,047	54	114	1,194	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	114	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	18,563	18	114	560	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	728	63	109	1,486	2,493
Hogs and pigs	7,111	23	112	388	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	52	45	113	1,223	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	285	28	113	777	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	37	35	107	1,258	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	46,906	41	114	625	3,059
Hogs and pigs	42,356	18	112	326	2,926
Horses and ponies	1,676	26	114	636	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	1,575	37	113	1,101	2,983
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,425	30	108	813	2,599
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans	80,379	19	103	365	2,076
Corn for grain	56,797	12	107	442	2,592
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	32,338	57	114	657	3,059
All Wheat for grain	11,200	23	111	605	2,517
Sorghum for grain	3,053	22	98	309	1,307

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	241	Farming	568
\$1,000 to \$2,499	83	Other	493
\$2,500 to \$4,999	84	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	154	Male	983
\$10,000 to \$19,999	132	Female	78
\$20,000 to \$24,999	43	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	92	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	28	White	1,483
\$50,000 to \$99,999	76	Black or African American	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999	70	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	44	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	14	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	49,385	More than one race	9
Average per farm (\$)	46,989	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	9
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,318		
Average per farm (\$)	8,865		

(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.