

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Sequoyah, Oklahoma

Number of farms

1,259 farms in 2002, 1,309 farms in 1997, down 4 percent.

Land in farms

222,350 acres in 2002, 303,485 acres in 1997, down 27 percent.

Average size of farm

177 acres in 2002, 232 acres in 1997, down 24 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$25,213,000 in 2002, \$39,583,000 in 1997, down 36 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$4,780,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$20,433,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

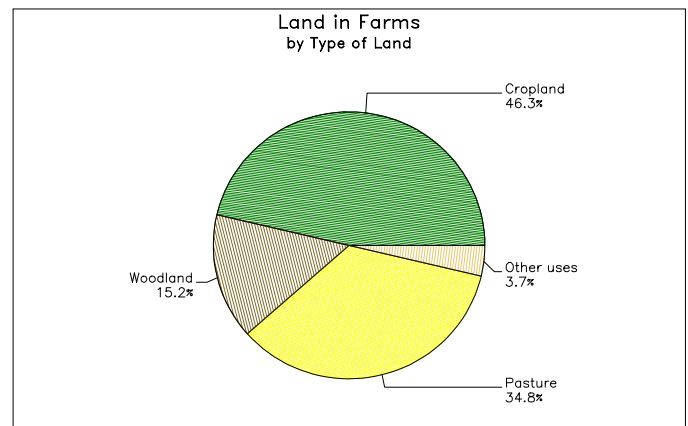
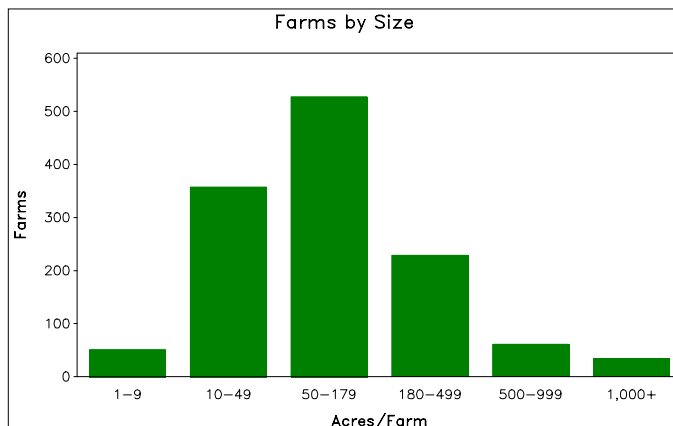
\$20,026 in 2002, \$30,239 in 1997, down 34 percent.

Government Payments

\$256,000 in 2002, \$89,000 in 1997, up 188 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$1,816 in 2002, \$2,556 in 1997, down 29 percent.



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Ranked items among the 77 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	25,213	57	77	1,884	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,780	39	77	2,098	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	20,433	57	77	1,278	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3,001	33	76	1,423	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	25	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	25	44	68	1,857	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	69	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2	25	33	1,594	1,774
Other crops and hay	1,091	54	77	1,157	3,046
Poultry and eggs	8,575	9	75	496	2,918
Cattle and calves	10,597	64	77	955	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	73	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	118	41	77	1,406	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	76	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	901	11	77	155	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	121	16	72	788	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	232,653	10	72	462	2,599
Layers 20 weeks old and older	94,735	9	77	411	2,983
Cattle and calves	37,889	67	77	829	3,059
Horses and ponies	3,547	6	77	132	3,065
All Goats	949	36	76	507	2,971
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	36,924	44	77	552	3,059
Soybeans	10,157	8	66	1,033	2,076
Corn for grain	5,960	5	62	1,209	2,592
All Wheat for grain	3,802	52	76	1,026	2,517
Sorghum for grain	288	49	61	694	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	353	Farming	679
\$1,000 to \$2,499	159	Other	580
\$2,500 to \$4,999	168		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	221	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	156	Male	1,130
\$20,000 to \$24,999	49	Female	129
\$25,000 to \$39,999	61		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	17	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	37		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	26	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	White	1,466
\$500,000 or more	5	Black or African American	12
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	21,681	American Indian or Alaska Native	235
Average per farm (\$)	17,221	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
		Asian	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,366	More than one race	50
Average per farm (\$)	3,468	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	26

(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.