

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Jackson, Oregon

Number of farms

1,953 farms in 2002, 1,934 farms in 1997, up 1 percent.

Land in farms

252,185 acres in 2002, 254,607 acres in 1997, down 1 percent.

Average size of farm

129 acres in 2002, 132 acres in 1997, down 2 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$54,192,000 in 2002, \$52,208,000 in 1997, up 4 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$37,815,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$16,377,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

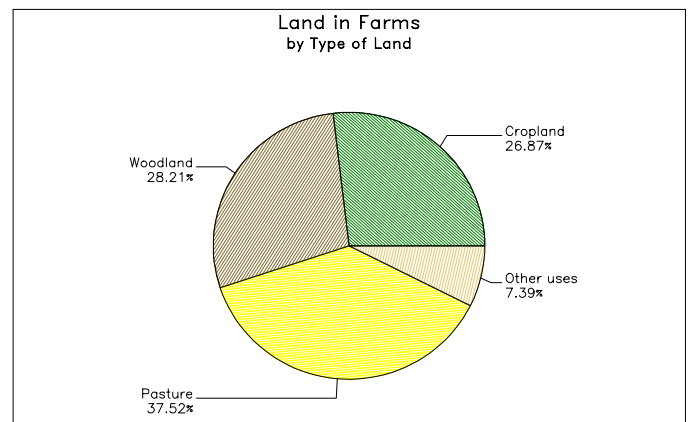
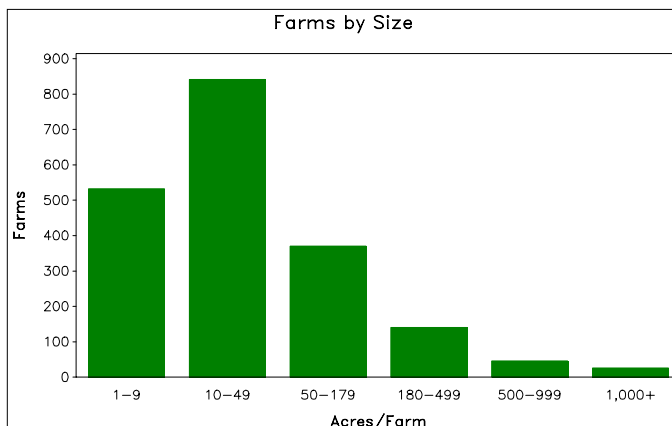
\$27,748 in 2002, \$26,995 in 1997, up 3 percent.

Government Payments

\$278,000 in 2002, \$168,000 in 1997, up 65 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$2,416 in 2002, \$2,326 in 1997, up 4 percent.



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Ranked items among the 36 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	54,192	17	36	1,061	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	37,815	15	36	678	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,377	18	36	1,471	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	241	24	31	2,185	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,200	20	34	705	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	29,523	3	33	66	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,594	15	32	566	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	26	19	25	866	1,774
Other crops and hay	3,231	21	36	384	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	9,535	14	36	1,025	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	107	11	36	1,431	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	408	14	36	223	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	787	8	36	188	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	28	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	648	10	35	214	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	3	36	(D)	2,983
Cattle and calves	28,191	17	36	1,114	3,059
Colonies of bees	5,671	2	30	93	2,392
Rabbits	(D)	1	29	(D)	1,966
Sheep and lambs	4,808	15	36	232	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	22,980	17	36	974	3,059
Pears	6,674	2	27	5	1,572
Grapes	1,245	4	26	47	1,830
Barley	602	12	28	375	1,246
All Wheat for grain	522	23	29	1,777	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	656	Farming	1,035
\$1,000 to \$2,499	433	Other	918
\$2,500 to \$4,999	282		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	221	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	145	Male	1,529
\$20,000 to \$24,999	32	Female	424
\$25,000 to \$39,999	69		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	20	Average age of principal operator (years)	56.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	38		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	35	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	8	White	3,045
\$500,000 or more	14	Black or African American	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	60,476	American Indian or Alaska Native	30
Average per farm (\$)	30,981	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
		Asian	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-3,783	More than one race	27
Average per farm (\$)	-1,938	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	83

(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.