

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Lake, Oregon

Number of farms

462 farms in 2002, 467 farms in 1997, down 1 percent.

Land in farms

747,888 acres in 2002, 737,531 acres in 1997, up 1 percent.

Average size of farm

1,619 acres in 2002, 1,579 acres in 1997, up 3 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$56,988,000 in 2002, \$43,038,000 in 1997, up 32 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$26,946,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$30,041,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

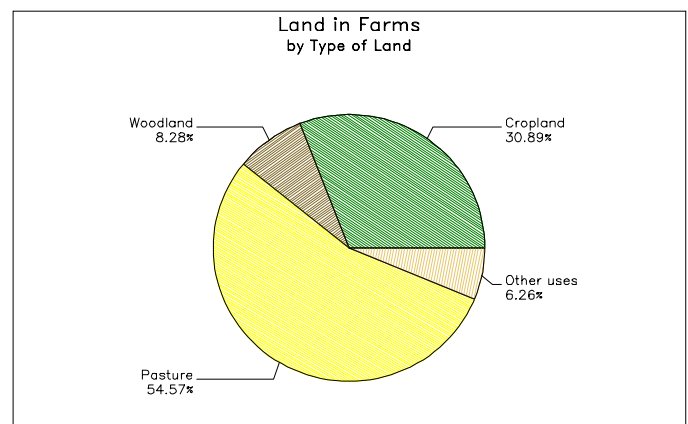
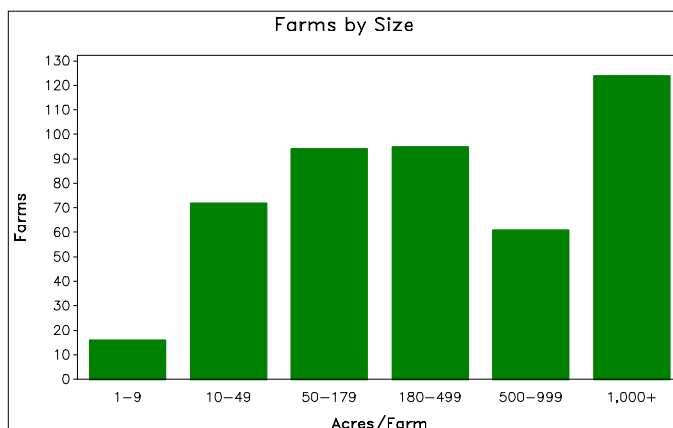
\$123,350 in 2002, \$92,158 in 1997, up 34 percent.

Government Payments

\$274,000 in 2002, \$903,000 in 1997, down 70 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$5,163 in 2002, \$9,305 in 1997, down 45 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	56,988	16	36	1,007	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	26,946	19	36	943	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	30,041	11	36	938	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	34	-	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	32	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	25	(D)	1,774
Other crops and hay	26,052	7	36	55	3,046
Poultry and eggs	1	36	36	2,587	2,918
Cattle and calves	27,157	6	36	337	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	13	28	36	2,219	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	45	28	36	1,349	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	28	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	4	33	35	2,108	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	85,693	6	36	194	3,059
Horses and ponies	1,775	22	36	575	3,065
All Goats	1,099	11	36	421	2,971
Sheep and lambs	681	29	36	1,233	2,867
Layers 20 weeks old and older	547	26	36	1,830	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	151,542	1	36	11	3,059
Oats	(D)	9	31	(D)	2,215
Rye for grain	(D)	2	8	(D)	1,204
All Wheat for grain ³	(D)	(D)	29	(D)	2,517
Barley ³	(D)	(D)	28	(D)	1,246

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	110
Less than \$1,000	28
\$1,000 to \$2,499	28
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12
\$20,000 to \$24,999	32
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20
\$40,000 to \$49,999	39
\$50,000 to \$99,999	61
\$100,000 to \$249,999	55
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15
\$500,000 or more	
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	50,938
Average per farm (\$)	110,256
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,059
Average per farm (\$)	19,608

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	317
Other	145
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	397
Female	65
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.7
All operators ² by race:	
White	725
Black or African American	2
American Indian or Alaska Native	16
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	19

(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.

³ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.