

STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	1,273	1,339	1,282	1,466
ACREAGE	821,163	812,881	1,371,605	1,406,990
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	645	607	1,070	960
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	77	70	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)				
LAND & BUILDINGS	832,438	650,923	549,450	505,903
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	144,797	105,018	95,705	76,584
CROPLAND (ACRES)				
TOTAL	390,291	377,753	D	D
HARVESTED	307,120	310,419	297,491	303,524
IRRIGATED	322,801	321,610	307,812	306,187
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	268,888	228,538	215,446	147,976
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	211,224	170,678	168,055	100,939
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM				
AVERAGE (\$)	66,314	35,185	37,864	19,206
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)				
CATTLE & CALVES	84,096	81,747	92,102	88,660
BEEF COWS	27,298	25,876	29,376	32,102
MILK COWS	10,783	8,484	8,996	8,703
HOGS & PIGS	1,494	1,294	5,075	4,031
SHEEP & LAMBS	10,329	10,853	14,486	17,365
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	769	725	723	1,756
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	225	D	11,090	470
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP	2,971	N	N	N
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
WHEAT	113,117	147,789	145,119	131,338
BARLEY	22,531	20,118	24,528	41,749
OATS	611	N	N	N
RICE	N	N	N	N
SUNFLOWER SEED	N	N	N	N
COTTON	N	N	N	N
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	N	N	N	N
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	N	0	D	D
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	68,767	63,344	67,007	67,697
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	25,574	17,589	9,975	7,612
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	72,969	61,271	50,376	51,763

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	2002	1997	1992	1987
VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	7	N	N	N
ACREAGE	N/A	N	N	N
ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	N	N	N
ACREAGE	24	N	N	N
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	705	N/A	N/A	N/A
NON-FARMING	568	N/A	N/A	N/A
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	343	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	26.94%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	5,838	5,211	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	17,020	12,408	N/A	N/A

1/ AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.