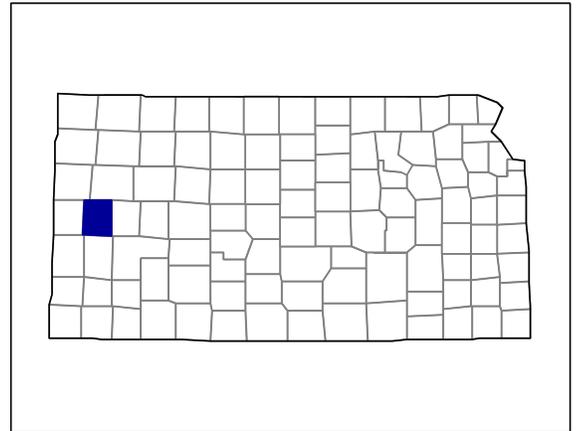




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Number of farms

326 farms in 2002, 316 farms in 1997, up 3 percent.

Land in farms

470,799 acres in 2002, 450,632 acres in 1997, up 4 percent.

Average size of farm

1,444 acres in 2002, 1,426 acres in 1997, up 1 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$314,459,000 in 2002, \$273,977,000 in 1997, up 15 percent.

Crop sales accounted for (D) of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for (D) of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

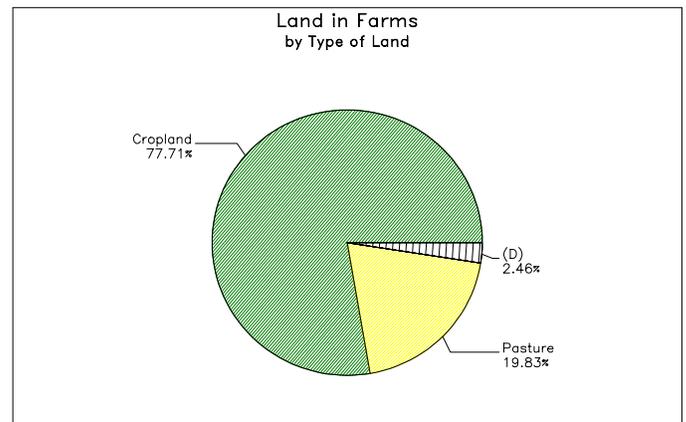
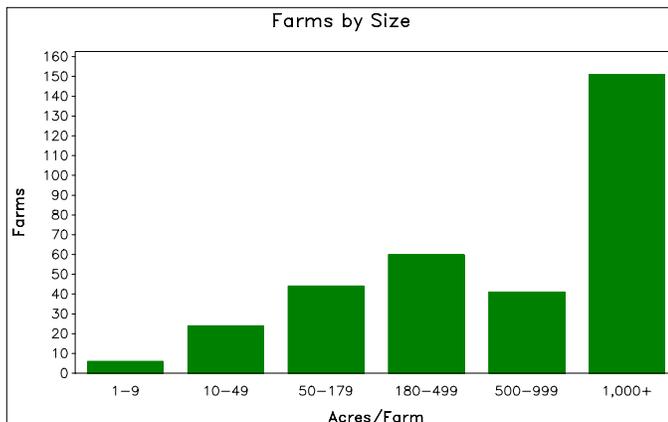
\$964,600 in 2002, \$867,014 in 1997, up 11 percent.

Government Payments

\$4,154,000 in 2002, \$4,183,000 in 1997, down 1 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$16,483 in 2002, \$16,275 in 1997, up 1 percent.



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Ranked items among the 105 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	314,459	6	105	68	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	28	-	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	52	-	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	40	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	437	100	105	2,017	3,046
Poultry and eggs	-	-	100	-	2,918
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	17	91	105	2,817	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	87	-	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	105	(D)	2,926
Cattle and calves	129,082	8	105	76	3,059
Horses and ponies	293	86	105	2,632	3,065
Layers 20 weeks old and older	136	85	105	2,622	2,983
Sheep and lambs	(D)	88	103	(D)	2,867
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
All Wheat for grain	95,879	37	105	135	2,517
Sorghum for grain	36,115	32	105	54	1,307
Corn for grain	23,992	36	105	751	2,592
Corn for silage	9,783	4	104	156	2,307
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,862	101	105	2,333	3,059

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	98	Farming	246
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	80
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	26	Male	298
\$10,000 to \$19,999	23	Female	28
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	15	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	White	438
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	Black or African American	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	53	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	20	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	18	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	316,595	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	974,138	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,469		
Average per farm (\$)	13,750		

(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.