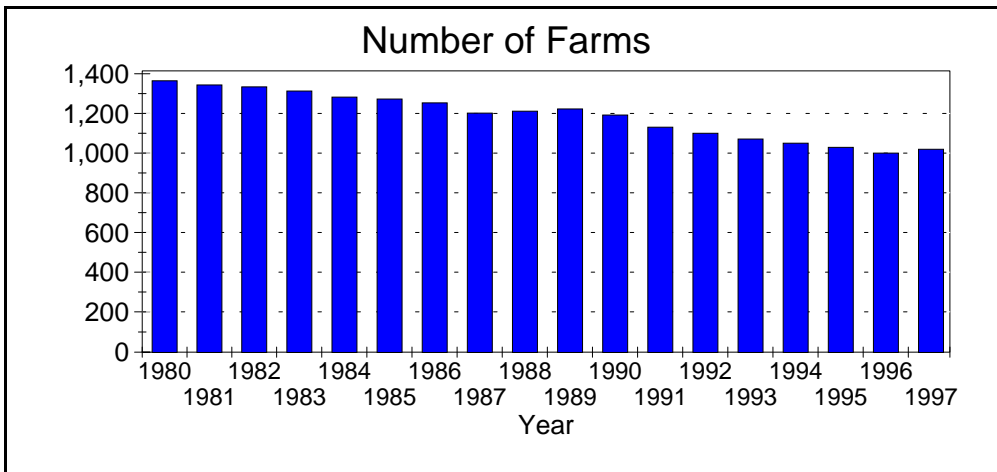


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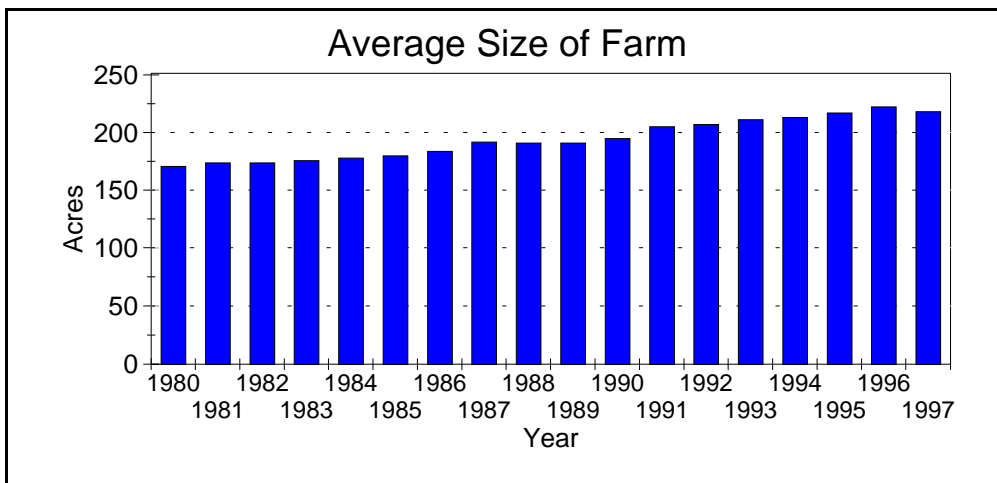
Number of Farms

Year	Number of Farms
1980	1,350
1981	1,330
1982	1,320
1983	1,300
1984	1,270
1985	1,260
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1987	1,190
1988	1,200
1989	1,210
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1991	1,120
1992	1,090
1993	1,060
1994	1,040
1995	1,020
1996	990
1997	1,010



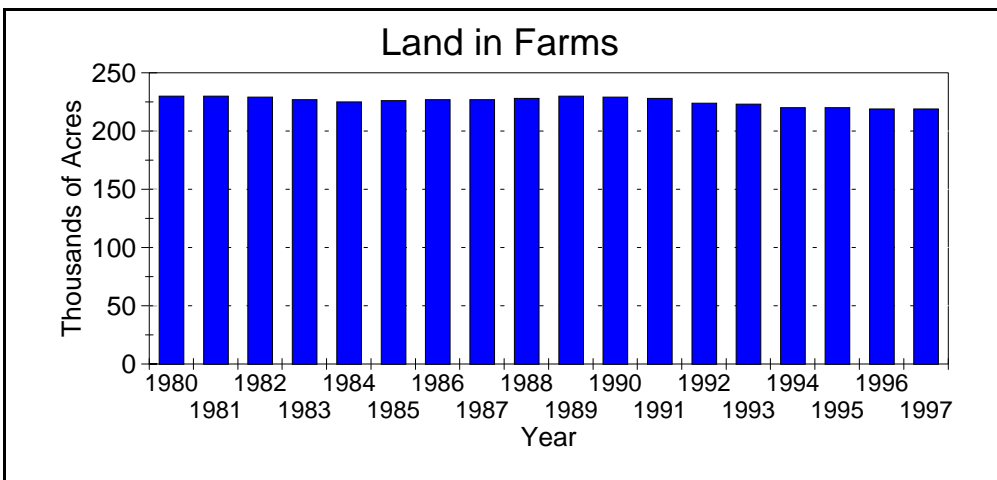
Average Size of Farm

Year	Acres
1980	170
1981	173
1982	173
1983	175
1984	177
1985	179
1986	183
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1991	204
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1994	212
1995	216
1996	221
1997	217



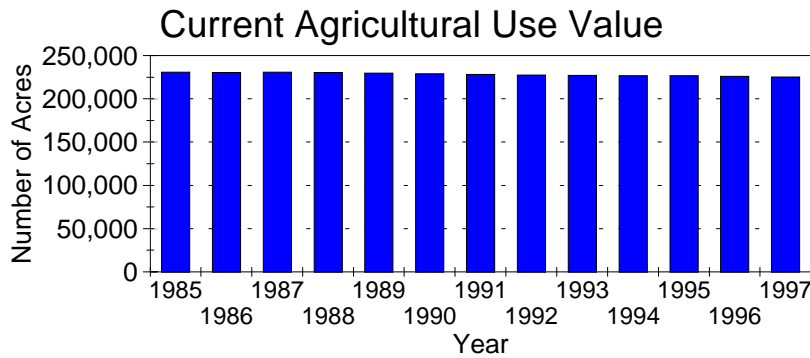
Land in Farms

Year	Thousands of Acres
1980	230
1981	230
1982	229
1983	227
1984	225
1985	226
1986	227
1987	227
1988	228
1989	230
1990	229
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1992	224
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1994	220
1995	220
1996	219
1997	219



Source: Ohio Agricultural Statistics, Ohio Crop Reporting Service

CAUV Enrollment

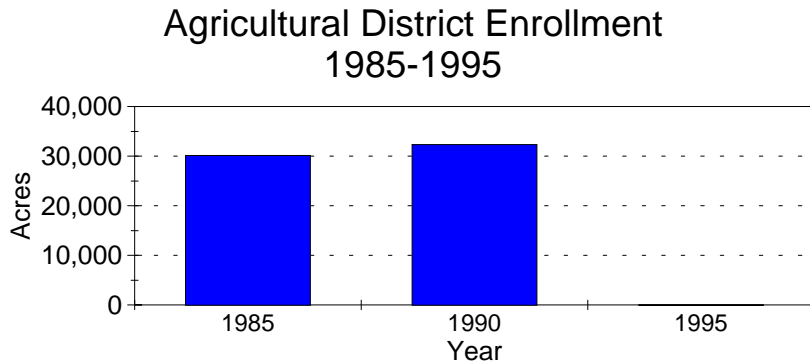


Year	Number of Acres
1985	230,906
1986	230,531
1987	230,791
1988	230,332
1989	229,813
1990	228,862
1991	228,125
1992	227,436
1993	227,179
1994	226,745
1995	226,734
1996	226,044
1997	225,398

The Current Agricultural Use Value (CAUV) is an assessment of property used exclusively for agricultural purposes. The taxable value is based upon the productive capacity of the land and relative input costs.

Source: Ohio Department of Taxation

Agricultural District Enrollment



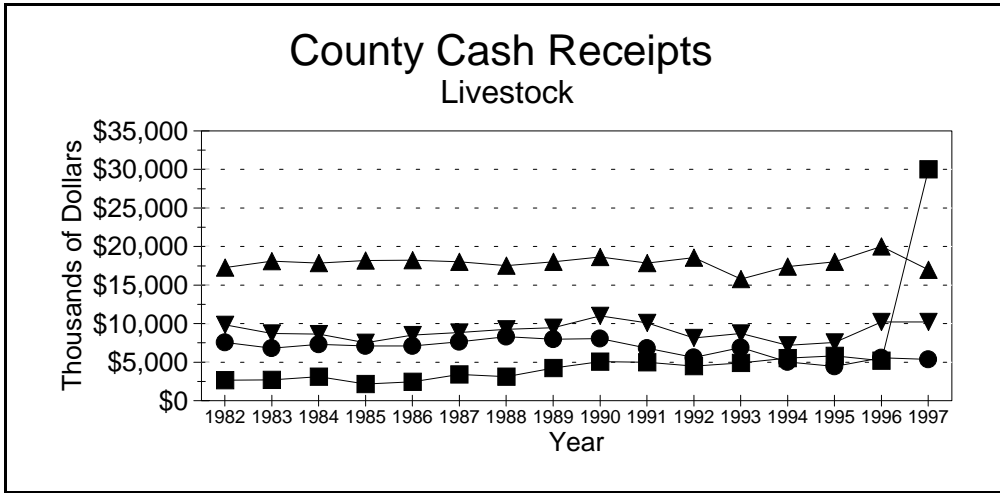
Year	Acres
1985	30,100
1990	32,295
1995	N/R

N/R=Not Reported  
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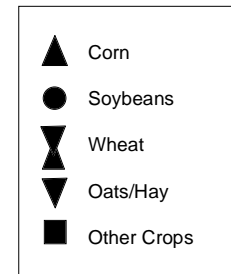
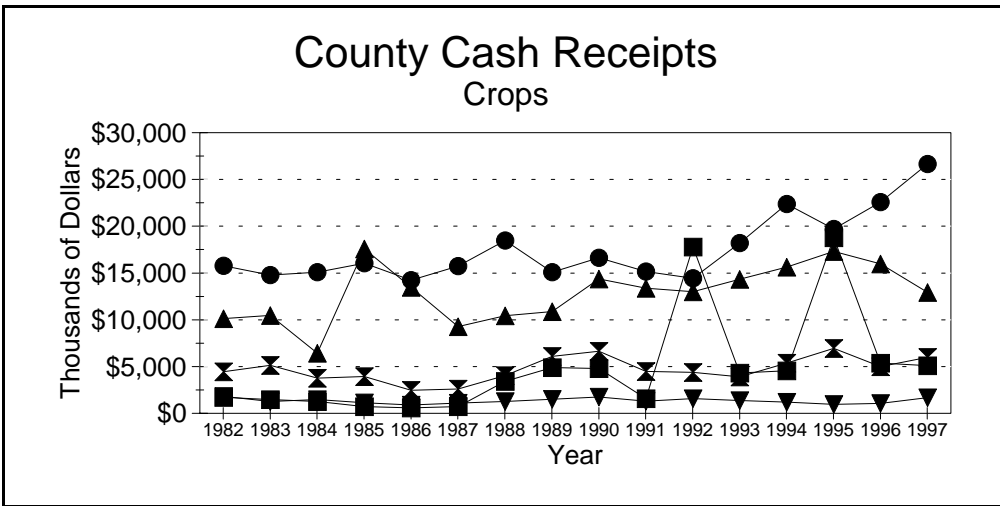
Agricultural districts provide protection to farmers from nuisance lawsuits and exemption from utility assessments associated with commercial and residential development. To enroll in this program, the landowner commits to keeping the land in agricultural production for five years. For agricultural district enrollment information, contact the local County Auditor's office.

Source: Ohio Farmland Enrollment in Agricultural Districts, 1995. OSU Extension Community Development Research Report, 9/18/96.

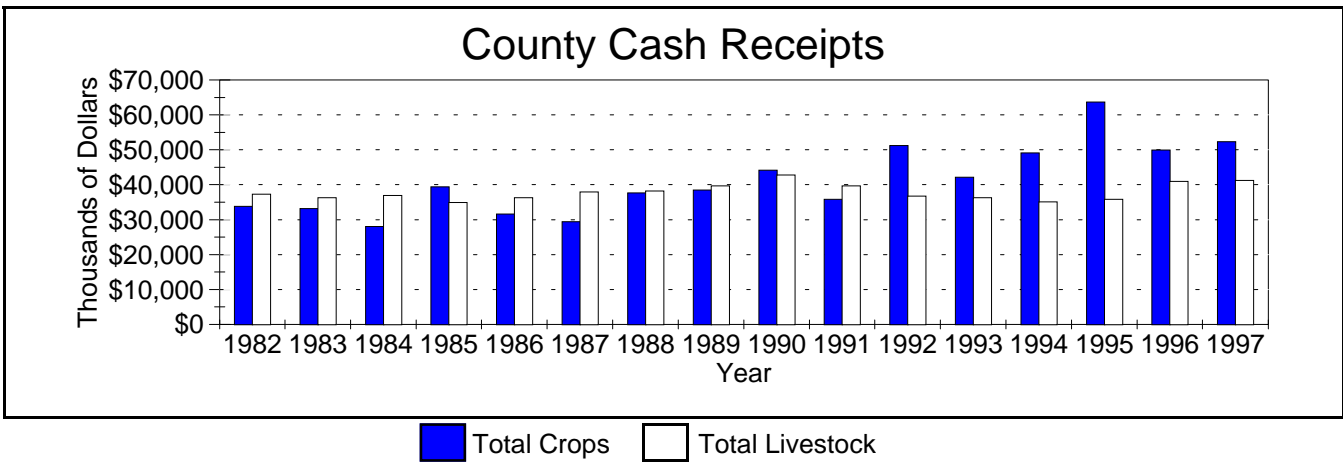
Cash Receipts



Other Livestock includes: poultry, sheep and wool.



Other Crops includes: greenhouse/nursery and vegetables.



Source: Ohio Farm Income, OARDC, Dept. Series

**Cash Receipts**

**Livestock Cash Receipts  
In Thousands of Dollars**

Year	Dairy	Cattle	Hogs	Other Livestock	Total Livestock
1973	8,666	5,579	6,267	2,062	22,574
1974	10,067	4,049	6,644	2,187	22,947
1977	12,538	6,600	5,839	1,661	26,638
1979	13,660	9,050	5,900	2,710	31,320
1980	15,360	8,870	6,140	2,195	32,565
1981	16,900	7,850	7,180	2,760	34,690
1982	17,270	7,544	9,830	2,650	37,294
1983	18,107	6,800	8,714	2,700	36,321
1984	17,865	7,300	8,650	3,094	36,909
1985	18,176	7,092	7,500	2,178	34,946
1986	18,234	7,117	8,500	2,469	36,320
1987	18,012	7,658	8,856	3,384	37,910
1988	17,508	8,310	9,242	3,114	38,174
1989	18,027	7,990	9,450	4,244	39,711
1990	18,656	8,059	11,005	5,080	42,800
1991	17,835	6,810	10,076	4,977	39,698
1992	18,560	5,600	8,147	4,465	36,772
1993	15,795	6,872	8,702	4,897	36,266
1994	17,396	5,003	7,177	5,506	35,082
1995	18,039	4,430	7,560	5,818	35,847
1996	20,025	5,547	10,210	5,193	40,975
1997	16,997	5,345	10,199	30,032	41,214

**Crops Cash Receipts  
In Thousands of Dollars**

Year	Corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Oats/Hay	Other Crops	Total Crops
1973	7,253	12,188	1,348	672	595	22,056
1974	8,175	11,376	4,101	1,004	1,232	25,888
1977	9,224	12,739	3,371	1,335	665	27,334
1979	10,420	16,270	4,550	1,787	765	33,792
1980	14,836	19,935	5,626	1,846	911	43,154
1981	11,579	13,932	5,301	1,936	1,126	33,874
1982	10,114	15,753	4,459	1,807	1,714	33,847
1983	10,476	14,778	5,142	1,258	1,484	33,138
1984	6,423	15,071	3,769	1,469	1,270	28,002
1985	17,595	16,042	3,924	1,120	728	39,409
1986	13,479	14,216	2,447	894	598	31,634
1987	9,256	15,745	2,601	1,108	713	29,423
1988	10,441	18,458	4,028	1,262	3,431	37,620
1989	10,869	15,095	6,105	1,493	4,876	38,438
1990	14,362	16,641	6,647	1,729	4,791	44,170
1991	13,375	15,157	4,484	1,290	1,559	35,865
1992	13,008	14,431	4,375	1,565	17,804	51,183
1993	14,337	18,200	3,905	1,368	4,317	42,127
1994	15,627	22,380	5,361	1,194	4,544	49,106
1995	17,319	19,711	6,948	968	18,765	63,711
1996	15,973	22,561	4,991	1,061	5,370	49,956
1997	12,918	26,658	5,997	1,692	5,080	52,345

**Summary Cash Receipts**

Year	Average Per Farm	Average Per Acre	Total Livestock In Thousands of Dollars	Total Crops In Thousands of Dollars	Total Cash Receipts In Thousands of Dollars
1973	23,738	171	22,574	22,056	44,630
1974	24,951	182	22,947	25,888	48,835
1977	31,379	217	26,638	27,334	53,972
1979	42,557	272	31,320	33,792	65,112
1980	56,088	319	32,565	43,154	75,719
1981	51,552	288	34,690	33,874	68,564
1982	53,895	300	37,294	33,847	71,141
1983	53,430	297	36,321	33,138	69,459
1984	51,111	288	36,909	28,002	64,911
1985	59,484	330	34,946	39,409	74,355
1986	55,247	302	36,320	31,634	67,954
1987	57,062	303	37,910	29,423	67,333
1988	64,232	341	38,174	37,620	75,794
1989	64,661	340	39,711	38,438	78,149
1990	73,703	378	42,800	44,170	86,970
1991	67,467	329	39,698	35,865	75,563
1992	80,693	389	36,772	51,183	87,955
1993	73,956	352	36,266	42,127	78,393
1994	80,950	379	35,082	49,106	84,188
1995	97,606	453	35,847	63,711	99,558
1996	91,849	415	40,975	49,956	90,931
1997	92,632	427	41,214	52,345	93,559

Other Livestock includes: poultry, sheep, and wool.

Other Crops includes: greenhouse/nursery and vegetables.

## Crop Production\*

Year	Corn Acreage Harvested	Corn Yield Bu./Ac.	Corn Production	Soybean Acreage Harvested	Soybean Yield Bu./Ac.	Soybean Production	Wheat Acreage Harvested	Wheat Yield Bu./Ac.	Wheat Production	Oat Acreage Harvested	Oat Yield Bu./Ac.	Oat Production	Hay Acreage Harvested	Hay Yield Tons/Ac.	Hay Production (Tons)
1979	57,300	117	6,728,000	77,500	38	2,971,000	25,800	51	1,313,000	10,400	79	820,200	22,700	3	66,000
1980	62,500	108	6,756,000	76,000	37	2,821,000	28,700	52	1,498,000	11,200	78	870,000	21,300	4	73,800
1981	55,300	94	5,220,000	71,200	26	1,879,000	36,000	42	1,507,000	11,200	66	734,000	21,000	3	56,500
1982	66,500	131	8,712,000	65,400	42	2,727,000	31,700	45	1,435,000	13,400	73	978,000	14,600	4	57,000
1983	41,500	44	1,826,000	67,400	25	1,656,000	26,400	53	1,394,000	7,400	68	500,000	15,000	2	37,500
1984	59,000	131	7,729,000	70,800	38	2,690,000	24,000	46	1,104,000	6,900	71	490,000	15,000	4	63,200
1985	60,100	129	7,734,600	74,400	41	3,057,400	21,300	66	1,415,000	8,900	92	819,300	14,700	4	57,800
1986	58,100	139	8,082,900	72,000	43	3,073,400	23,900	45	1,067,300	2,800	81	227,600	15,700	4	65,700
1987	46,300	133	6,158,900	83,600	39	3,227,900	18,700	61	1,140,400	3,800	69	263,300	15,800	4	61,100
1988	47,500	90	4,291,800	78,600	26	2,073,200	23,700	51	1,213,300	4,000	47	189,300	16,000	3	40,600
1989	49,200	127	6,266,900	81,300	34	2,776,600	34,300	52	1,774,000	4,200	76	318,100	16,400	4	58,200
1990	56,300	124	6,994,600	71,400	41	2,929,100	39,100	63	2,460,200	2,900	71	206,400	14,800	5	73,500
1991	55,500	94	5,239,100	71,400	33	2,469,300	31,300	48	1,509,100	1,700	66	113,100	14,000	3	47,100
1992	58,300	134	7,795,500	72,500	37	2,686,400	27,800	48	1,338,700	2,100	90	187,900	16,100	4	66,800
1993	3,500	88	6,544,500	79,400	42	3,332,000	25,900	54	1,391,000	2,100	69	144,600	13,700	4	50,600
1994	60,200	151	9,066,200	81,400	46	3,759,900	28,400	62	1,751,400	1,600	56	89,900	13,500	4	57,900
1995	54,600	132	7,187,400	82,400	38	3,137,000	29,300	66	1,927,000	1,500	79	119,000	12,800	3	43,400
1996	33,500	110	3,678,200	88,700	35	3,106,100	32,900	39	1,281,200	1,300	56	73,000	12,500	4	45,300
1997	46,200	146	6,744,300	83,300	46	3,835,800	26,100	72	1,873,700	1,500	86	128,600	13,000	3	42,100

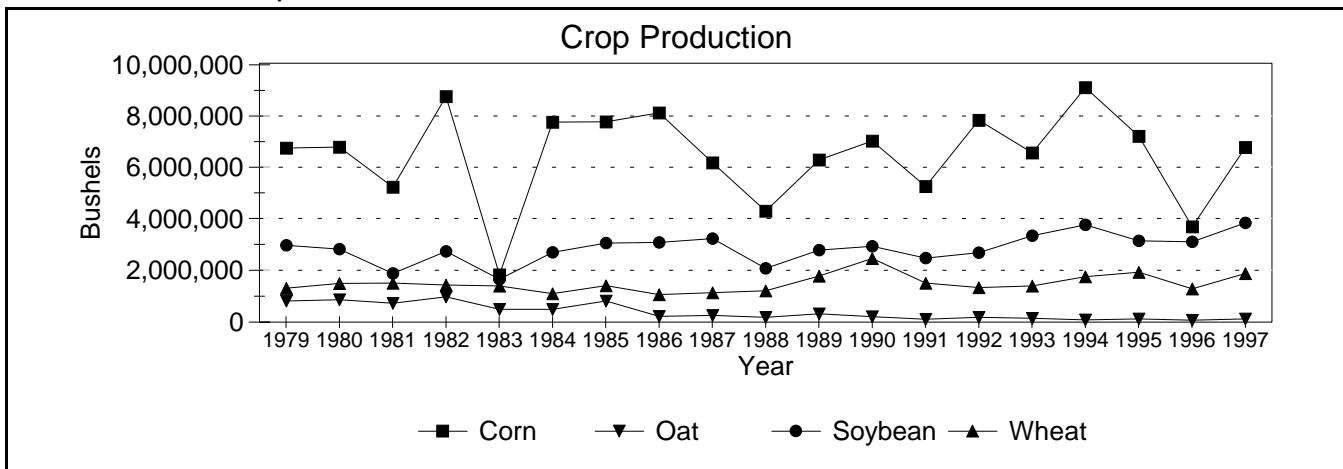
## Livestock Production\*

Year	All Cattle & Calves	Milk Cows & Heifers	Milk Sold (Mil. Lbs.)	Hogs & Pigs	Stock Sheep	Chickens: Number of Farms	Chickens (Excludes Broilers)	Hens & Pullets (Lay Age)
1979	33,600	9,400	115	50,000	5,000		230,000	210,000
1980	34,700	9,100	117	52,000	4,100		155,000	150,000
1981	36,200	9,200	121	52,000	4,000			
1982	36,700	9,500	125	46,800	3,600			
1983	38,200	9,900	132	51,000	3,300			
1984	35,000	10,000	132	44,000	2,900			
1985	35,000	10,000	142	47,000	3,000			
1986	32,000	10,200	141	45,000	2,500			
1987	30,000	10,000	141	52,000	3,000			
1988	30,000	10,400	145	55,000	2,800			
1989	28,800	9,400	134	51,000	2,600			
1990	27,000	8,900	133	49,000	2,750			
1991	28,000	9,000	139	45,000	2,450			
1992	29,000	8,800	139	44,000	1,800			
1993	29,000	8,800	122	40,000	1,800			
1994	26,000	8,300	131	46,000	1,800			
1995	25,400	8,700	138	47,000	1,500			
1996	27,600	8,600	134	38,500				
1997	26,900	8,300	128	40,000	1,000			

## Farm Information

Year	Number of Farms	Average Size of Farm	Land in Farms (Thousands of Acres)
1979	1,380	171	236
1980	1,350	170	230
1981	1,330	173	230
1982	1,320	173	229
1983	1,300	175	227
1984	1,270	177	225
1985	1,260	179	226
1986	1,240	183	227
1987	1,190	191	227
1988	1,200	190	228
1989	1,210	190	230
1990	1,180	194	229
1991	1,120	204	228
1992	1,090	206	224
1993	1,060	210	223
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1995	1,020	216	220
1996	990	221	219
1997	1,010	217	219

\* Blank areas indicate unreported information.

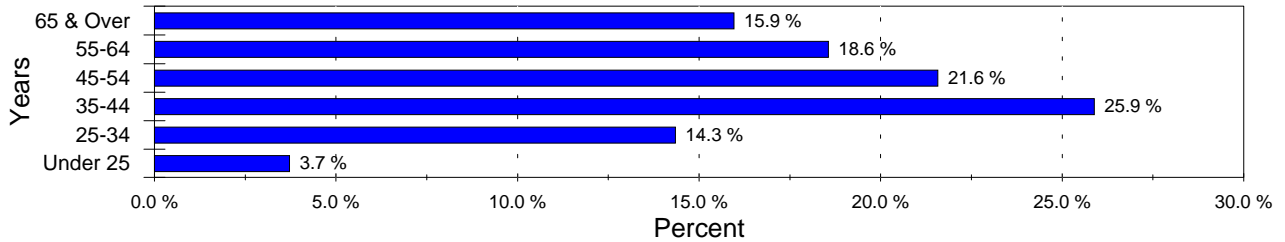


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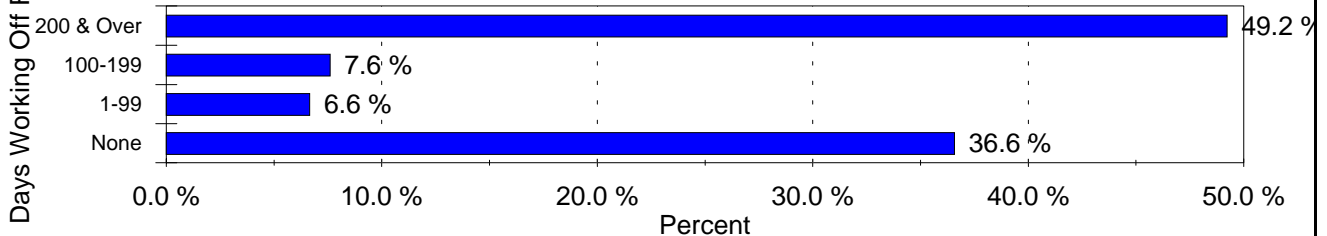
**Census of Agriculture  
1982, 1987, 1992**

Number of Farms			Land in Farms (Acres)			Average Size of Farm (Acres)			Value of Land & Buildings (Avg./Farm)					
1,255	1,119	997	218,861	216,855	205,105	174	194	206	\$311,069	\$251,748	\$307,232			
Value of Land & Buildings (Avg./Acre)			Estimated Market Value of Machinery & Equip. (Avg./Farm)			Farms by Size: 1 to 9 Acres			Farms by Size: 10 to 49 Acres					
\$1,831	\$1,318	\$1,618	\$51,423	\$52,189	\$58,835	117	108	89	226	192	177			
Farms by Size: 50 to 179 Acres			Farms by Size: 180 to 499 Acres			Farms by Size: 500 to 999 Acres			Farms by Size: 1,000 Acres or more					
493	429	369	341	296	267	66	73	70	12	21	25			
Total Cropland (Farms)			Total Cropland (Acres)			Harvested Cropland (Farms)			Harvested Cropland (Acres)					
1,167	1,034	926	193,121	194,524	188,648	1,146	1,014	900	184,674	167,133	173,995			
Irrigated Cropland (Farms)			Irrigated Cropland (Acres)			Market Value of Agri. Products Sold			Average per Farm (Dollars)					
9	8	8	574	0	706	\$63,760	\$63,182	\$68,407	\$50,805	\$56,463	\$68,613			
Crops (Includes Nursery & Greenhouse Crops) (\$1,000)			Livestock, Poultry & Other Products (\$1,000)			Farms by Value of Sales: Less than \$2,500			Farms by Value of Sales: \$2,500 to \$4,999					
\$31,921	\$29,218	\$31,332	\$31,839	\$33,964	\$37,076	110	113	93	92	97	92			
Farms by Value of Sales: \$5,000 to \$9,999			Farms by Value of Sales: \$10,000 to \$24,999			Farms by Value of Sales: \$25,000 to \$49,999			Farms by Value of Sales: \$50,000 to \$99,999			Farms by Value of Sales: \$100,000 or more		
180	137	111	289	271	225	190	145	121	205	165	146	189	191	209

**Farm Operator Age**



**Farm Operator Days Working Off Farm**



Source: 1992 Census of Agriculture