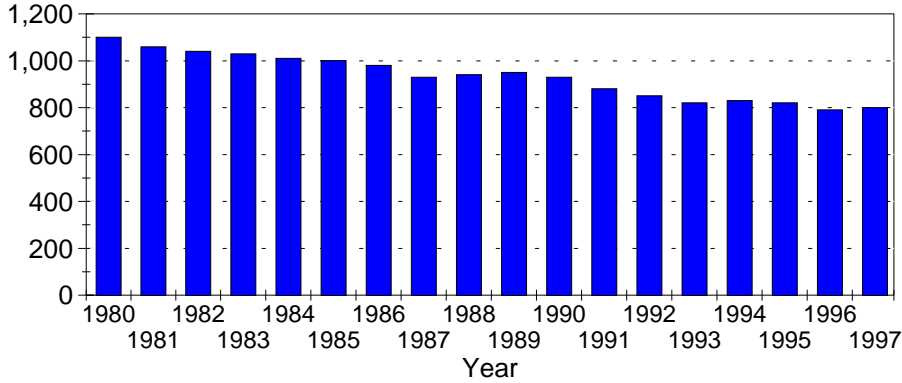


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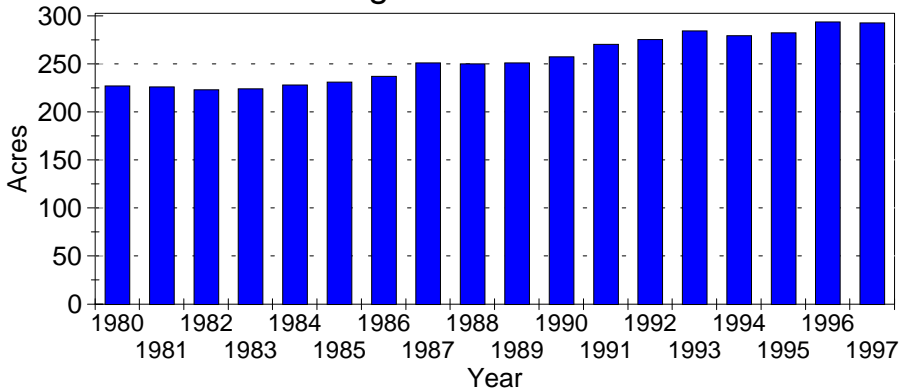
Number of Farms



Number of Farms

Year	Number of Farms
1980	1,100
1981	1,060
1982	1,040
1983	1,030
1984	1,010
1985	1,000
1986	980
1987	930
1988	940
1989	950
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1991	880
1992	850
1993	820
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1995	820
1996	790
1997	800

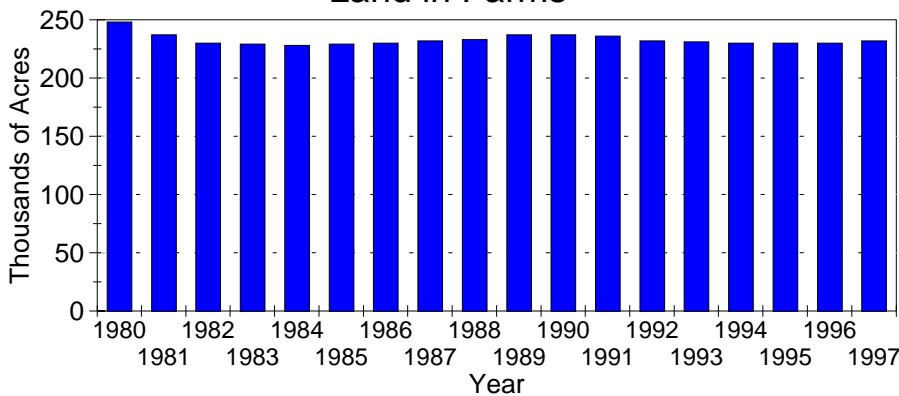
Average Size of Farm



Average Size of Farm

Year	Acres
1980	225
1981	224
1982	221
1983	222
1984	226
1985	229
1986	235
1987	249
1988	248
1989	249
1990	255
1991	268
1992	273
1993	282
1994	277
1995	280
1996	291
1997	290

Land in Farms

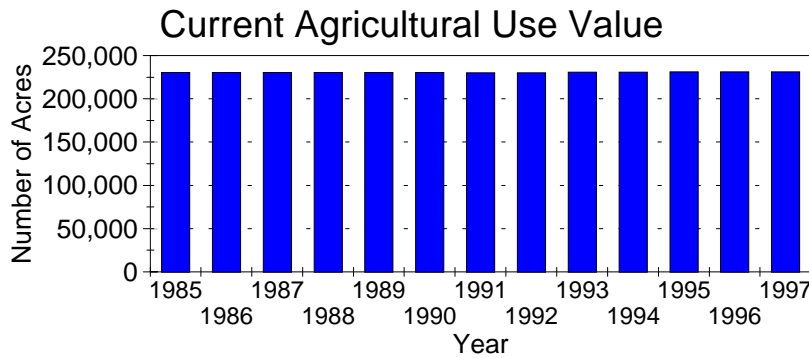


Land in Farms

Year	Thousands of Acres
1980	248
1981	237
1982	230
1983	229
1984	228
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1986	230
1987	232
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1989	237
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1997	232

Source: Ohio Agricultural Statistics, Ohio Crop Reporting Service

CAUV Enrollment

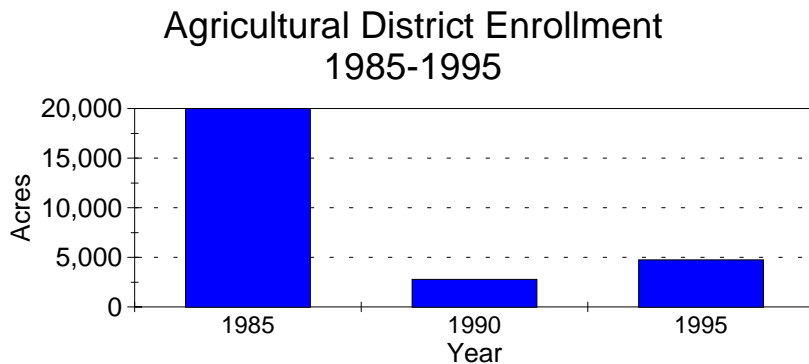


Year	Number of Acres
1985	230,348
1986	230,373
1987	230,446
1988	230,477
1989	230,483
1990	230,302
1991	230,198
1992	230,026
1993	230,594
1994	230,953
1995	231,074
1996	230,963
1997	231,057

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



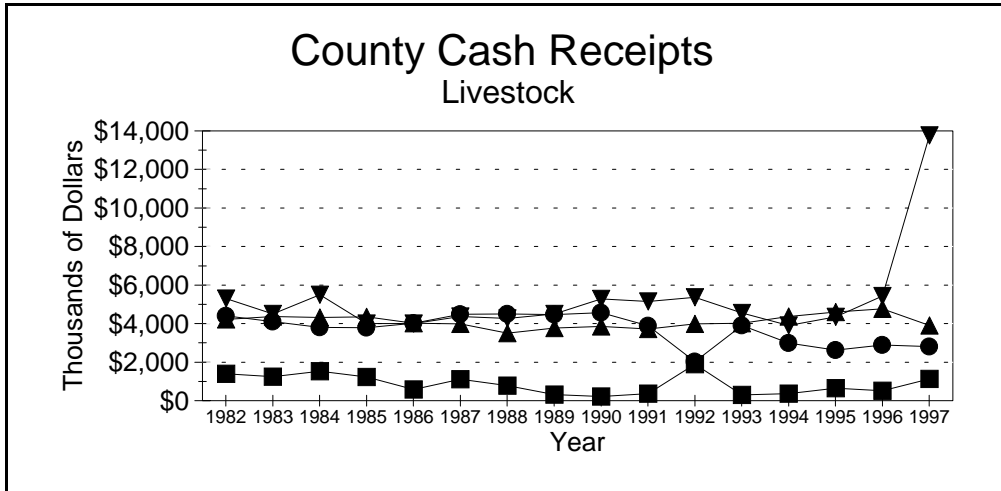
Year	Acres
1985	20,000
1990	2,787
1995	4,746

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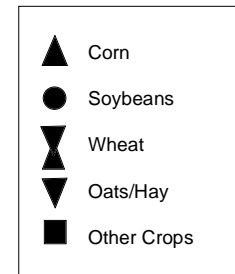
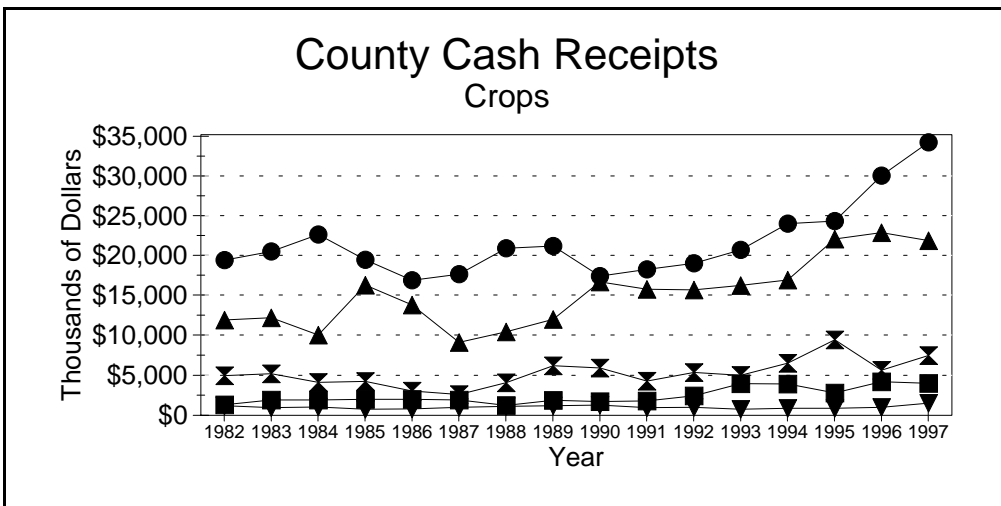
Agricultural districts provide protection to farmers from nuisance lawsuits and exemption from utility assessments associated with commercial and residential development. To enroll in this program, the landowner commits to keeping the land in agricultural production for five years. For agricultural district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

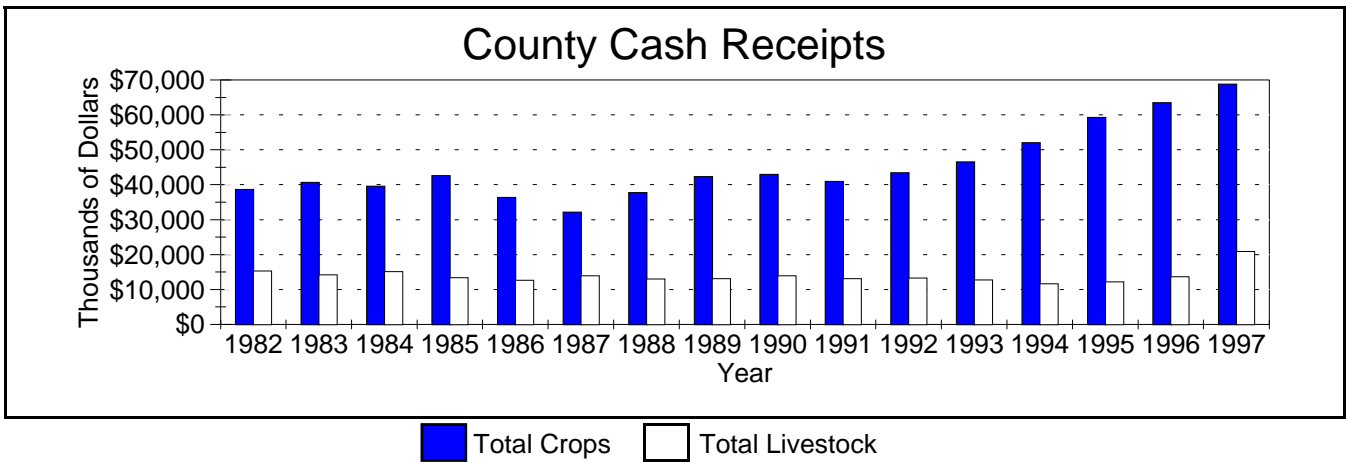
Cash Receipts



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	2,395	3,964	5,788	1,622	13,769
1974	3,020	2,636	5,599	1,214	12,469
1977	3,546	3,300	4,783	1,731	13,360
1979	3,620	5,930	6,500	1,540	17,590
1980	3,970	5,050	4,440	1,050	14,510
1981	4,070	4,480	4,720	1,590	14,860
1982	4,210	4,401	5,300	1,390	15,301
1983	4,372	4,100	4,493	1,240	14,205
1984	4,311	3,800	5,500	1,529	15,140
1985	4,352	3,789	4,000	1,225	13,366
1986	4,020	4,012	4,000	576	12,608
1987	3,979	4,477	4,367	1,109	13,932
1988	3,503	4,500	4,267	774	13,044
1989	3,769	4,465	4,505	322	13,061
1990	3,856	4,570	5,282	212	13,920
1991	3,727	3,891	5,145	370	13,133
1992	3,981	2,020	5,370	1,890	13,261
1993	4,017	3,910	4,549	300	12,776
1994	4,362	2,982	3,900	362	11,606
1995	4,598	2,625	4,343	648	12,214
1996	4,770	2,894	5,436	514	13,614
1997	3,910	2,802	13,769	1,137	20,928

Crops Cash Receipts
In Thousands of Dollars

Year	Corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Oats/Hay	Other Crops	Total Crops
1973	4,393	11,278	1,406	604	693	18,374
1974	7,166	10,718	4,624	615	601	23,724
1977	9,764	13,174	3,118	804	820	27,680
1979	11,080	17,340	4,500	1,057	935	34,912
1980	13,447	19,835	5,827	711	1,007	40,827
1981	10,745	16,153	5,327	1,025	1,279	34,529
1982	11,911	19,338	4,942	1,182	1,303	38,676
1983	12,190	20,442	5,178	976	1,909	40,695
1984	10,020	22,536	4,102	1,033	1,903	39,594
1985	16,253	19,397	4,233	775	1,990	42,648
1986	13,766	16,833	3,036	785	1,988	36,408
1987	9,117	17,585	2,577	983	1,925	32,187
1988	10,435	20,833	4,082	1,119	1,254	37,723
1989	11,977	21,098	6,182	1,185	1,885	42,327
1990	16,637	17,369	5,925	1,294	1,727	42,952
1991	15,732	18,180	4,289	941	1,782	40,924
1992	15,655	18,968	5,352	989	2,437	43,401
1993	16,219	20,615	4,972	764	3,961	46,531
1994	16,868	23,914	6,509	879	3,902	52,072
1995	22,001	24,218	9,427	868	2,777	59,291
1996	22,803	29,891	5,633	983	4,205	63,515
1997	21,801	34,051	7,464	1,510	3,971	68,797

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	19,365	132	13,769	18,374	32,143
1974	20,926	144	12,469	23,724	36,193
1977	25,491	168	13,360	27,680	41,040
1979	36,973	222	17,590	34,912	52,502
1980	50,306	244	14,510	40,827	55,337
1981	46,593	221	14,860	34,529	49,389
1982	51,901	244	15,301	38,676	53,977
1983	53,301	250	14,205	40,695	54,900
1984	54,192	240	15,140	39,594	54,734
1985	56,014	246	13,366	42,648	56,014
1986	50,750	218	12,608	36,408	49,016
1987	49,063	205	13,932	32,187	46,119
1988	54,007	225	13,044	37,723	50,767
1989	58,323	235	13,061	42,327	55,388
1990	61,153	240	13,920	42,952	56,872
1991	61,428	227	13,133	40,924	54,057
1992	65,145	237	13,261	43,401	56,662
1993	70,604	257	12,776	46,531	59,307
1994	76,721	276	11,606	52,072	63,678
1995	87,201	311	12,214	59,291	71,505
1996	97,632	335	13,614	63,515	77,129
1997	112,157	387	20,928	68,797	89,725

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	60,900	119	7,227,000	73,800	37	2,701,000	33,300	45	1,497,100	5,800	66	384,500	11,300	3	30,000
1980	61,800	120	7,422,000	74,500	42	3,123,000	33,600	46	1,531,000	3,600	77	276,000	12,600	3	42,800
1981	61,200	109	6,648,000	66,900	36	2,389,000	35,000	43	1,517,000	4,700	58	274,000	13,000	2	32,200
1982	66,400	122	8,127,000	81,100	41	3,293,000	35,500	47	1,658,000	5,500	75	413,000	9,400	3	26,300
1983	44,500	92	4,094,000	82,000	37	3,047,000	28,700	50	1,426,000	2,900	62	180,000	8,400	3	22,700
1984	67,000	119	7,973,000	88,500	38	3,363,000	25,000	50	1,237,000	3,000	61	183,000	9,500	3	30,400
1985	64,000	139	8,896,400	85,800	44	3,772,300	24,600	63	1,543,800	4,000	89	356,500	8,900	4	34,700
1986	62,000	137	8,500,400	82,200	43	3,546,700	27,000	50	1,363,100	1,900	88	166,400	9,500	4	36,300
1987	50,400	133	6,721,700	89,800	41	3,683,200	18,300	57	1,047,300	3,600	74	267,900	9,200	3	27,700
1988	56,000	86	4,838,900	86,300	26	2,203,900	23,900	53	1,276,800	3,200	50	161,600	8,500	2	20,000
1989	61,600	126	7,732,900	89,800	33	2,924,000	33,500	54	1,822,900	3,900	74	289,800	6,700	4	24,700
1990	70,900	125	8,845,500	78,400	39	3,047,600	33,700	63	2,122,100	5,000	74	371,700	6,100	4	23,600
1991	69,000	96	6,605,100	84,300	40	3,336,400	27,100	54	1,459,500	1,900	72	136,800	5,700	3	19,000
1992	72,400	142	10,283,200	84,500	41	3,487,800	30,400	57	1,740,600	1,400	81	113,200	6,100	3	18,700
1993	68,900	105	7,209,800	95,100	36	3,398,100	28,000	62	1,737,600	1,400	57	79,200	5,200	3	15,200
1994	76,200	145	11,018,700	92,600	45	4,192,400	33,500	62	2,085,900	1,100	46	50,600	5,800	4	25,100
1995	66,600	137	9,112,800	94,000	43	4,025,700	33,200	61	2,018,000				5,700	5	26,800
1996	60,100	118	7,115,200	104,500	41	4,269,200	36,100	38	1,371,400				5,800	4	20,300
1997	72,800	133	9,694,100	103,900	42	4,388,900	33,000	70	2,303,200				6,000	4	22,700

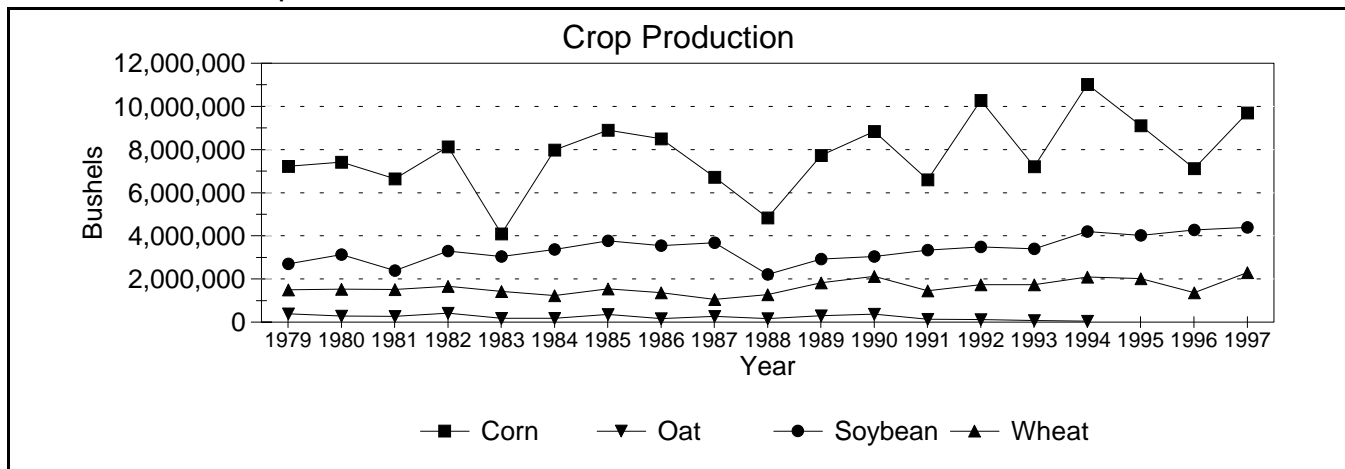
Livestock Production*

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	21,700	3,100	31	34,200	8,900		60,000	50,000
1980	17,200	2,500	30	32,000	6,100		60,000	50,000
1981	17,600	2,400	29	28,000	5,600			
1982	17,800	2,400	31	24,800	5,300			
1983	17,700	2,500	32	32,000	4,800			
1984	17,000	2,500	31	23,000	4,000			
1985	16,000	2,500	34	23,500	4,100			
1986	16,000	2,600	32	22,000	3,700			
1987	16,000	2,500	31	24,000	4,100			
1988	17,000	2,100	29	25,400	3,400			
1989	17,500	2,000	28	25,000	3,100			
1990	16,000	1,900	28	23,000	3,700			
1991	17,000	1,900	29	25,000	2,800			
1992	16,500	1,800	30	23,000	2,600			
1993	16,500	1,800	31	22,500	2,600			
1994	16,000	1,850	33	25,000	2,700			
1995	15,700	2,000	35	27,000	2,100			
1996	14,400	1,900	32	20,500	1,700			
1997	14,100	1,600	29	54,000	1,500			

Farm Information

Year	Number of Farms	Average Size of Farm	Land in Farms (Thousands of Acres)
1979	1,120	204	228
1980	1,100	225	248
1981	1,060	224	237
1982	1,040	221	230
1983	1,030	222	229
1984	1,010	226	228
1985	1,000	229	229
1986	980	235	230
1987	930	249	232
1988	940	248	233
1989	950	249	237
1990	930	255	237
1991	880	268	236
1992	850	273	232
1993	820	282	231
1994	830	277	230
1995	820	280	230
1996	790	291	230
1997	800	290	232

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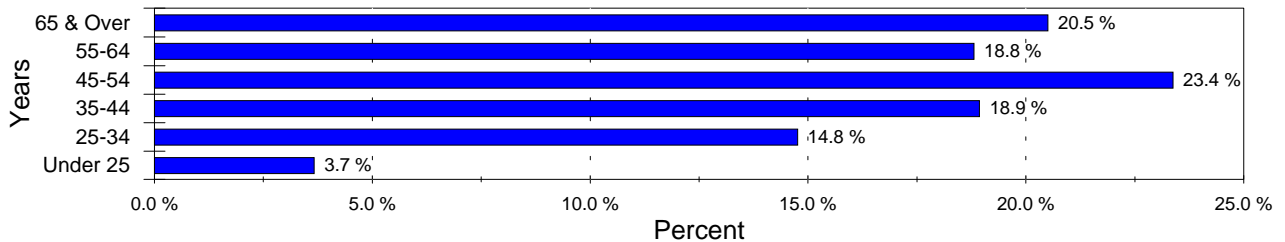


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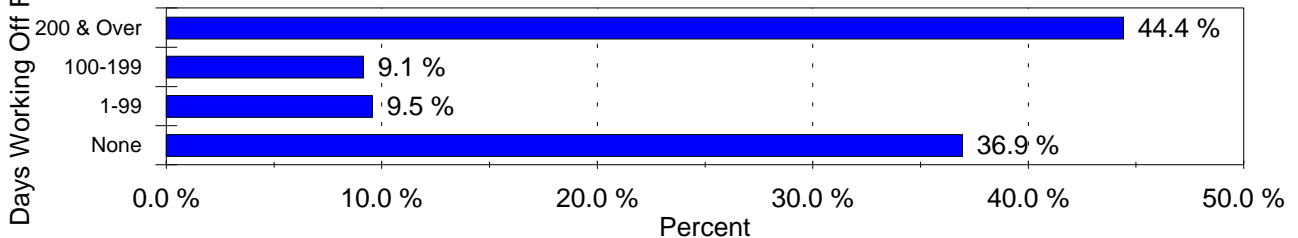
**Census of Agriculture
1982, 1987, 1992**

Number of Farms			Land in Farms (Acres)			Average Size of Farm (Acres)			Value of Land & Buildings (Avg./Farm)					
975	877	766	223,487	222,057	223,216	229	253	291	\$380,670	\$271,383	\$368,722			
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					
\$1,655	\$1,059	\$1,270	\$56,619	\$59,938	\$68,995	71	72	52	158	148	126			
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					
351	299	264	287	239	195	81	80	86	27	39	43			
Total Cropland (Farms)			Total Cropland (Acres)			Harvested Cropland (Farms)			Harvested Cropland (Acres)					
913	825	727	194,739	200,895	204,150	896	806	708	186,858	172,671	189,599			
Irrigated Cropland (Farms)			Irrigated Cropland (Acres)			Market Value of Agri. Products Sold			Average per Farm (Dollars)					
5	9	4	32	51	6	\$50,461	\$49,750	\$55,663	\$51,754	\$56,728	\$72,667			
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					
\$34,936	\$34,200	\$39,994	\$15,524	\$15,550	\$15,668	85	85	71	74	76	57			
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		
127	118	73	251	197	182	156	144	115	145	119	109	137	138	159

Farm Operator Age



Farm Operator Days Working Off Farm



Source: 1992 Census of Agriculture