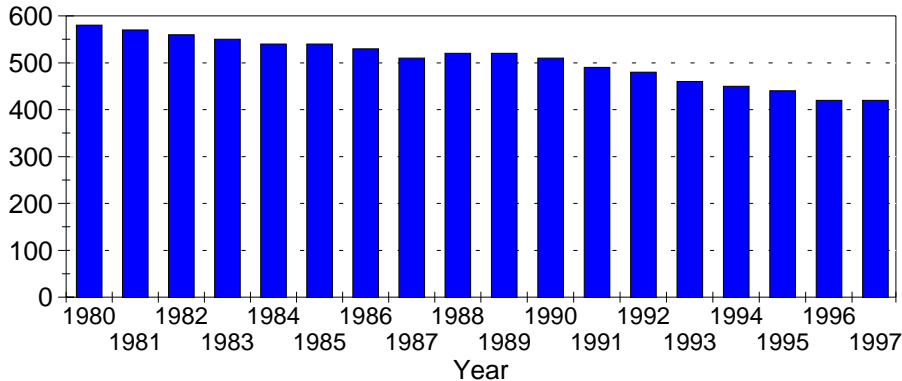


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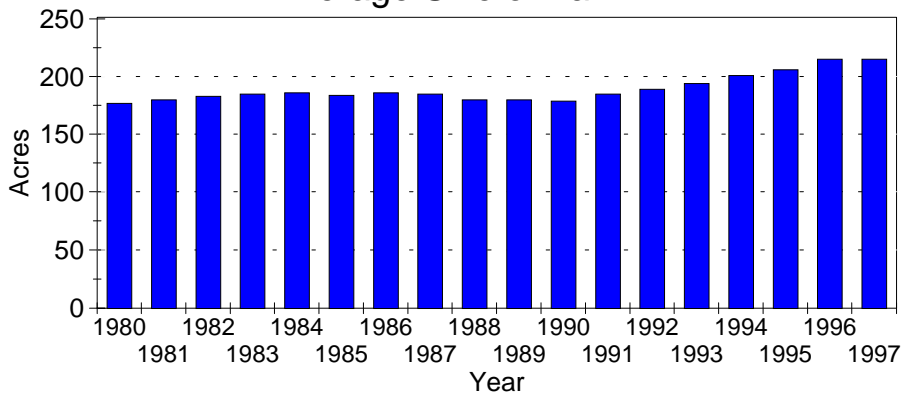
Number of Farms



Number of Farms

Year	Number of Farms
1980	580
1981	570
1982	560
1983	550
1984	540
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1986	530
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1991	490
1992	480
1993	460
1994	450
1995	440
1996	420
1997	420

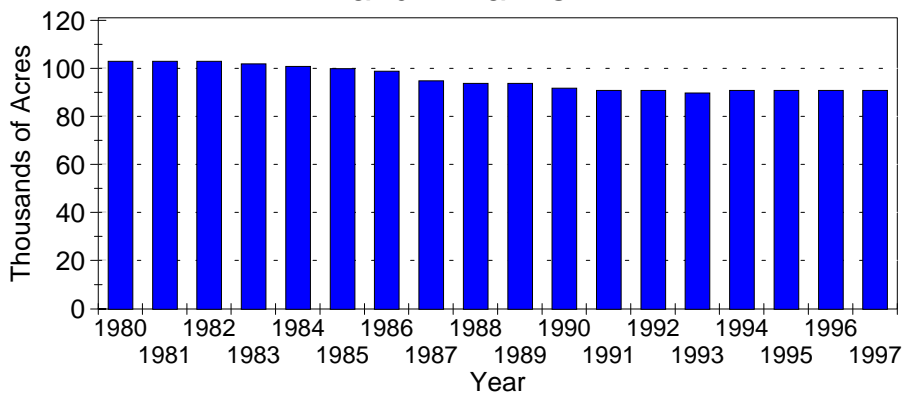
Average Size of Farm



Average Size of Farm

Year	Acres
1980	176
1981	179
1982	182
1983	184
1984	185
1985	183
1986	185
1987	184
1988	179
1989	179
1990	178
1991	184
1992	188
1993	193
1994	200
1995	205
1996	214
1997	214

Land in Farms

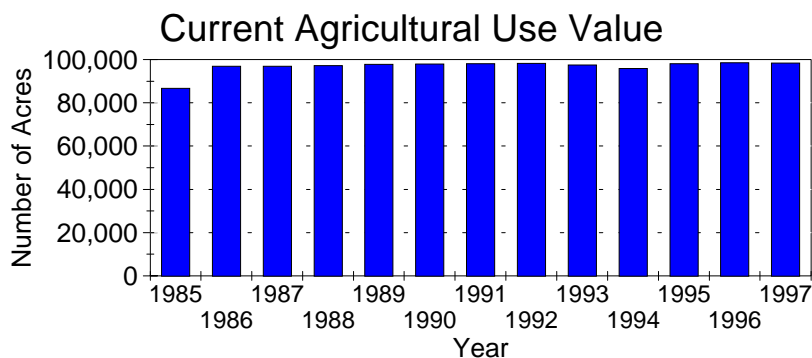


Land in Farms

Year	Thousands of Acres
1980	102
1981	102
1982	102
1983	101
1984	100
1985	99
1986	98
1987	94
1988	93
1989	93
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1991	90
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1995	90
1996	90
1997	90

Source: Ohio Agricultural Statistics, Ohio Crop Reporting Service

CAUV Enrollment

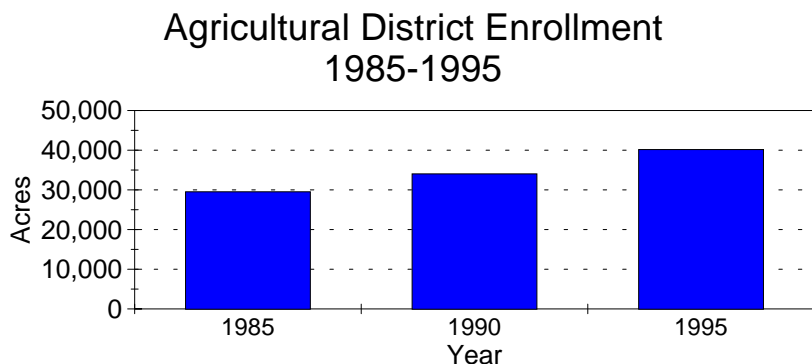


Year	Number of Acres
1985	86,713
1986	96,879
1987	96,937
1988	97,186
1989	97,790
1990	97,884
1991	98,101
1992	98,159
1993	97,461
1994	95,910
1995	98,140
1996	98,539
1997	98,446

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



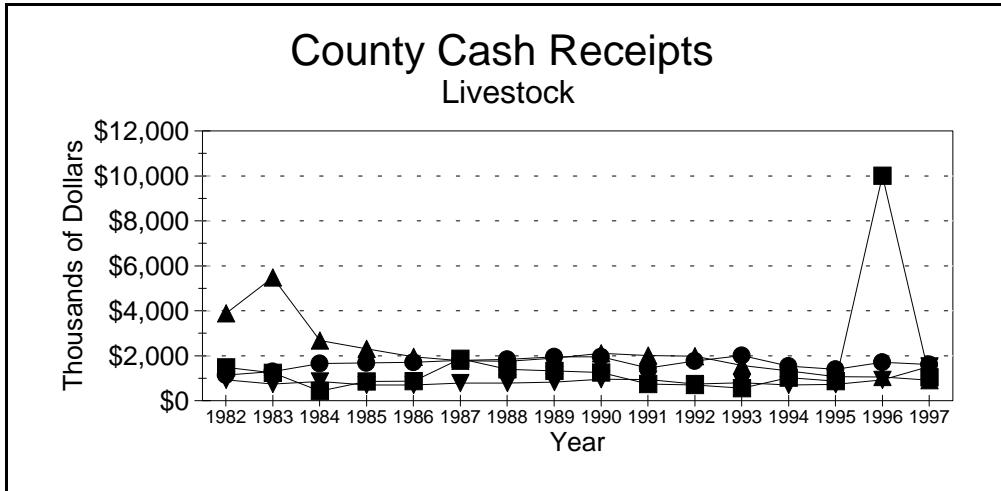
Year	Acres
1985	29,500
1990	34,010
1995	40,192

N/R=Not Reported
U=Unusable Data

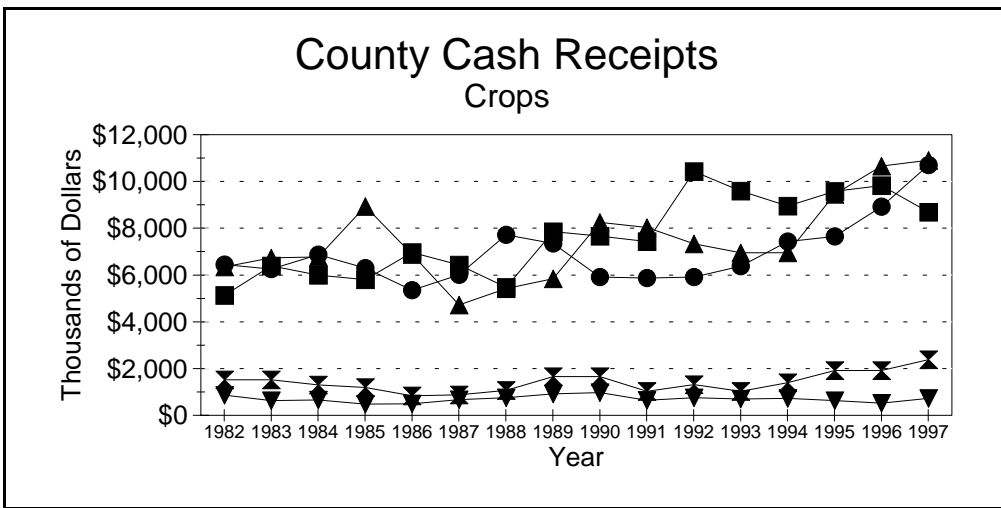
Agricultural districts provide protection to farmers from nuisance lawsuits and exemption from utility assessments associated with commercial and residential development. To enroll in this program, the landowner commits to keeping the land in agricultural production for five years. For agricultural district 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.

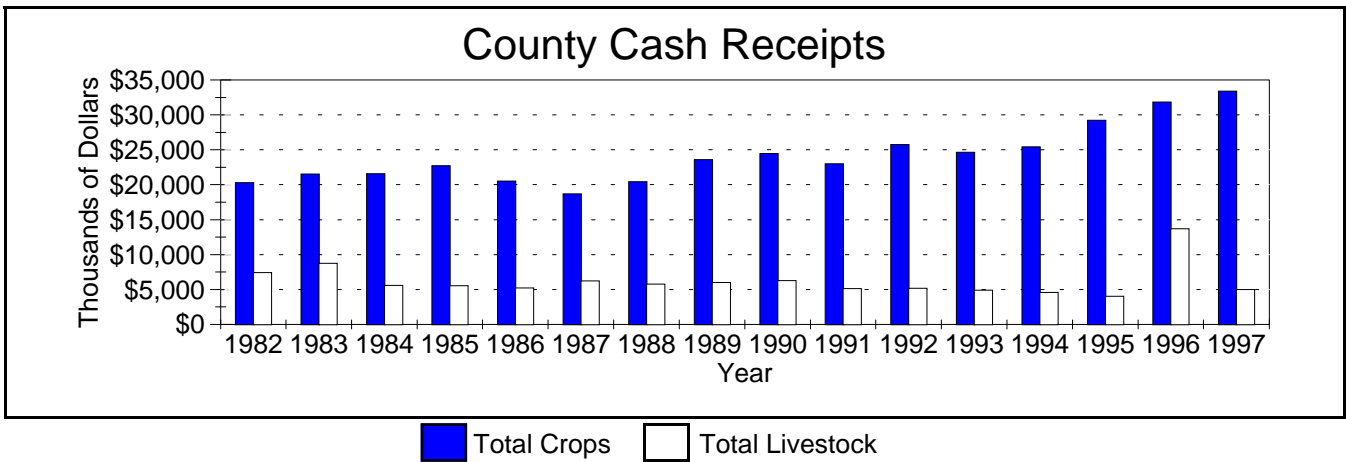
Cash Receipts



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	2,115	1,438	931	494	4,978
1974	2,427	615	740	391	4,173
1977	1,538	1,000	786	712	4,036
1979	2,110	1,660	1,030	1,010	5,810
1980	2,270	1,450	700	920	5,340
1981	4,370	1,270	700	1,810	8,150
1982	3,890	1,143	930	1,480	7,443
1983	5,478	1,300	746	1,240	8,764
1984	2,675	1,650	850	434	5,609
1985	2,304	1,676	700	854	5,534
1986	1,951	1,713	700	873	5,237
1987	1,784	1,799	789	1,871	6,243
1988	1,747	1,830	786	1,392	5,755
1989	1,890	1,950	831	1,326	5,997
1990	2,107	1,954	957	1,246	6,264
1991	2,009	1,457	933	735	5,134
1992	1,984	1,760	741	695	5,180
1993	1,560	2,014	791	551	4,916
1994	1,317	1,539	702	1,022	4,580
1995	1,061	1,395	724	873	4,053
1996	1,050	1,708	928	10,005	13,691
1997	918	1,610	1,530	1,035	4,998

Crops Cash Receipts
In Thousands of Dollars

Year	Corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Oats/Hay	Other Crops	Total Crops
1973	3,077	4,002	731	386	3,446	11,642
1974	3,538	4,014	2,397	282	8,315	18,546
1977	4,160	5,003	1,221	413	5,074	15,871
1979	5,520	6,740	1,800	529	5,520	20,109
1980	6,674	7,937	2,212	383	4,965	22,171
1981	5,587	5,715	2,163	708	5,227	19,400
1982	6,351	6,446	1,522	860	5,136	20,315
1983	6,738	6,259	1,519	629	6,384	21,529
1984	6,775	6,863	1,297	651	5,995	21,581
1985	8,933	6,292	1,195	481	5,805	22,706
1986	6,888	5,347	841	499	6,965	20,540
1987	4,717	6,003	878	669	6,431	18,698
1988	5,412	7,713	1,069	748	5,468	20,410
1989	5,840	7,351	1,649	919	7,854	23,613
1990	8,249	5,910	1,661	976	7,658	24,454
1991	8,038	5,870	1,025	646	7,426	23,005
1992	7,331	5,913	1,314	757	10,421	25,736
1993	6,950	6,378	1,022	692	9,586	24,628
1994	6,946	7,427	1,398	727	8,948	25,446
1995	9,455	7,650	1,916	623	9,580	29,224
1996	10,653	8,924	1,922	519	9,820	31,838
1997	10,903	10,699	2,378	729	8,684	33,393

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	22,828	160	4,978	11,642	16,620
1974	25,456	178	4,173	18,546	22,719
1977	28,439	191	4,036	15,871	19,907
1979	41,141	259	5,810	20,109	25,919
1980	55,022	272	5,340	22,171	27,511
1981	48,333	267	8,150	19,400	27,550
1982	49,568	272	7,443	20,315	27,758
1983	55,078	300	8,764	21,529	30,293
1984	50,352	272	5,609	21,581	27,190
1985	53,283	282	5,534	22,706	28,240
1986	49,571	258	5,237	20,540	25,777
1987	49,882	255	6,243	18,698	24,941
1988	52,330	270	5,755	20,410	26,165
1989	56,962	318	5,997	23,613	29,610
1990	60,231	334	6,264	24,454	30,718
1991	57,427	309	5,134	23,005	28,139
1992	64,408	344	5,180	25,736	30,916
1993	64,226	332	4,916	24,628	29,544
1994	66,723	337	4,580	25,446	30,026
1995	75,630	370	4,053	29,224	33,277
1996	108,402	506	13,691	31,838	45,529
1997	91,408	427	4,998	33,393	38,391

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	27,800	129	3,585,000	32,000	39	1,234,000	10,600	45	475,500	2,800	69	192,500	4,800	3	16,000
1980	30,300	122	3,682,000	27,500	40	1,085,000	11,600	52	608,000	2,400	88	211,000	5,600	4	19,600
1981	33,600	111	3,726,000	24,400	35	856,000	12,000	51	617,000	3,000	79	237,000	6,500	4	22,800
1982	33,000	121	3,980,000	28,700	36	1,022,000	9,500	49	469,000	3,400	76	258,000	4,700	4	19,700
1983	24,500	120	2,940,000	22,100	43	956,000	8,200	51	419,000	1,800	80	144,000	3,700	4	14,100
1984	36,000	125	4,500,000	26,700	37	989,000	8,000	50	396,000	1,600	65	104,000	4,700	4	18,800
1985	34,500	129	4,455,600	29,200	42	1,216,500	7,000	62	432,200	2,400	83	199,900	5,900	4	21,600
1986	32,300	131	4,242,000	27,500	40	1,107,400	7,600	50	376,600	1,100	84	93,000	5,700	4	24,000
1987	26,800	135	3,628,000	31,600	42	1,312,800	6,400	59	380,000	1,600	79	125,700	5,300	4	21,400
1988	26,900	89	2,391,400	27,800	30	826,600	6,000	52	314,800	1,100	52	56,700	5,500	3	15,200
1989	29,700	125	3,725,700	28,100	35	985,700	8,800	56	491,700	2,400	76	181,600	5,100	4	22,400
1990	35,700	127	4,526,800	26,000	40	1,043,500	10,100	60	600,800	1,600	74	118,200	4,100	5	18,600
1991	37,100	91	3,367,000	29,300	35	1,031,600	6,500	51	333,900				4,100	3	12,700
1992	33,800	133	4,492,400	28,900	38	1,093,600	7,200	61	435,800				4,100	4	16,500
1993	30,900	98	3,015,200	31,600	33	1,038,600	6,600	52	342,800				4,400	3	14,400
1994	32,500	138	4,474,900	30,300	44	1,319,900	8,300	55	452,500				4,200	5	19,800
1995	28,300	141	3,986,200	30,700	43	1,314,800	8,600	64	548,500				4,100	3	14,000
1996	29,500	127	3,746,000	33,700	35	1,185,700	10,100	47	478,300				3,700	3	10,800
1997	33,700	136	4,564,700	36,200	45	1,632,200	10,500	69	720,300				3,800	2	9,100

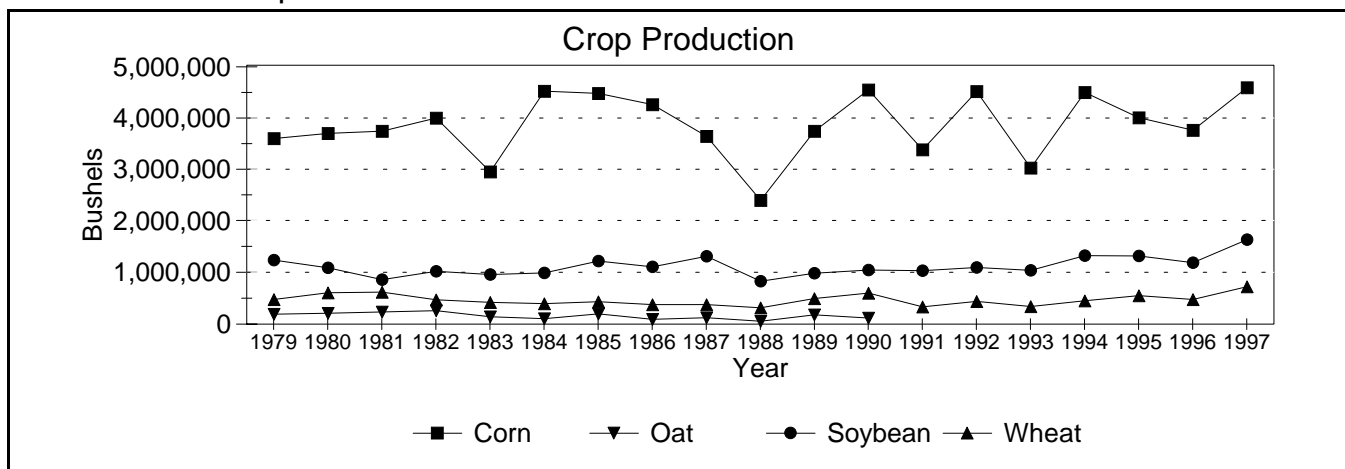
Livestock Production*

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	8,900	1,800	17	5,400			75,000	30,000
1980	6,500	2,300	17	5,000	1,200		60,000	20,000
1981	6,000	2,300	23	4,900				
1982	6,700	2,500	28	4,100				
1983	6,500	2,400	32	5,000				
1984	8,000	2,300	23	4,000				
1985	8,000	2,200	18	4,000	1,200			
1986	10,000	2,100	15	4,000				
1987	10,000	1,900	14	4,500				
1988	10,000	1,700	14	4,600	1,000			
1989	10,000	1,900	14	4,700				
1990	8,900	1,800	15	4,000				
1991	8,800	1,600	16	4,700				
1992	8,500			4,000				
1993	8,500	1,100		4,000				
1994	8,000			4,500				
1995	8,100			4,500				
1996	8,500			3,500				
1997	8,100			6,000				

Farm Information

Year	Number of Farms	Average Size of Farm	Land in Farms (Thousands of Acres)
1979	590	169	100
1980	580	176	102
1981	570	179	102
1982	560	182	102
1983	550	184	101
1984	540	185	100
1985	540	183	99
1986	530	185	98
1987	510	184	94
1988	520	179	93
1989	520	179	93
1990	510	178	91
1991	490	184	90
1992	480	188	90
1993	460	193	89
1994	450	200	90
1995	440	205	90
1996	420	214	90
1997	420	214	90

* Blank areas indicate unreported information.

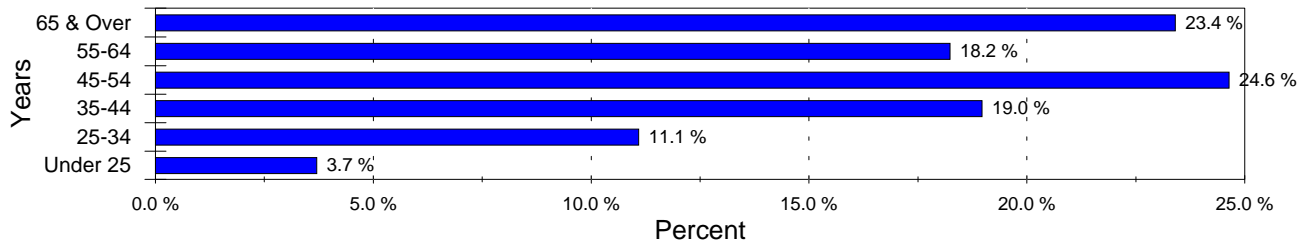


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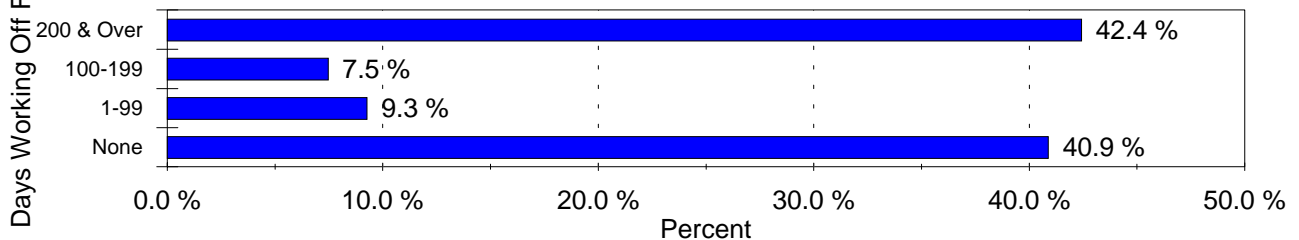
**Census of Agriculture
1982, 1987, 1992**

Number of Farms			Land in Farms (Acres)			Average Size of Farm (Acres)			Value of Land & Buildings (Avg./Farm)					
535	480	406	99,090	90,106	88,899	185	188	219	\$352,880	\$300,284	\$409,805			
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					
\$1,894	\$1,384	\$1,733	\$57,092	\$66,947	\$68,016	41	53	22	156	128	116			
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					
176	157	127	105	87	81	43	40	46	14	15	14			
Total Cropland (Farms)			Total Cropland (Acres)			Harvested Cropland (Farms)			Harvested Cropland (Acres)					
511	452	385	86,787	79,669	80,665	496	433	372	81,136	67,683	76,022			
Irrigated Cropland (Farms)			Irrigated Cropland (Acres)			Market Value of Agri. Products Sold			Average per Farm (Dollars)					
13	14	14	806	254	267	\$26,342	\$25,829	\$26,099	\$49,238	\$53,810	\$64,284			
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					
\$17,894	\$17,510	\$20,743	\$8,448	\$8,319	\$5,356	97	92	49	65	53	52			
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		
68	70	63	113	91	71	51	51	41	56	40	50	85	83	80

Farm Operator Age



Farm Operator Days Working Off Farm



Source: 1992 Census of Agriculture