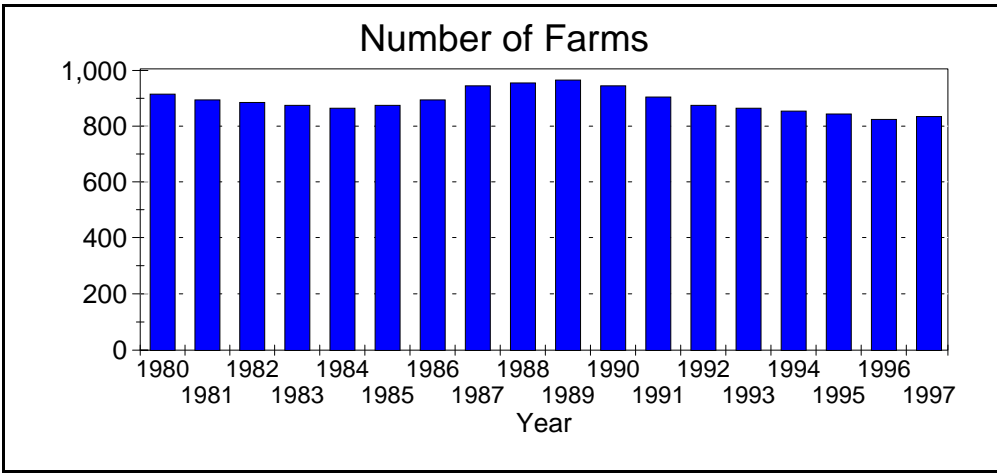


Farm Information

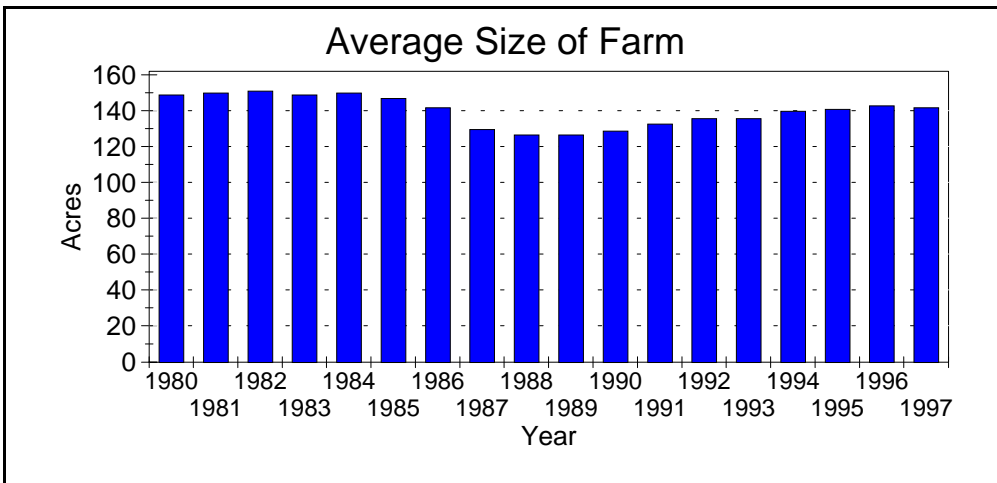
Number of Farms

Year	Number of Farms
1980	910
1981	890
1982	880
1983	870
1984	860
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1986	890
1987	940
1988	950
1989	960
1990	940
1991	900
1992	870
1993	860
1994	850
1995	840
1996	820
1997	830



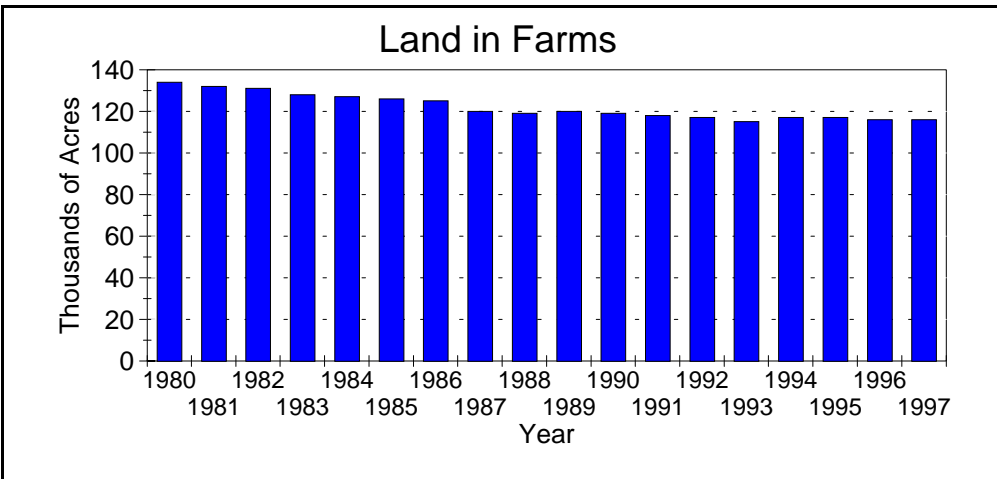
Average Size of Farm

Year	Acres
1980	147
1981	148
1982	149
1983	147
1984	148
1985	145
1986	140
1987	128
1988	125
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1990	127
1991	131
1992	134
1993	134
1994	138
1995	139
1996	141
1997	140



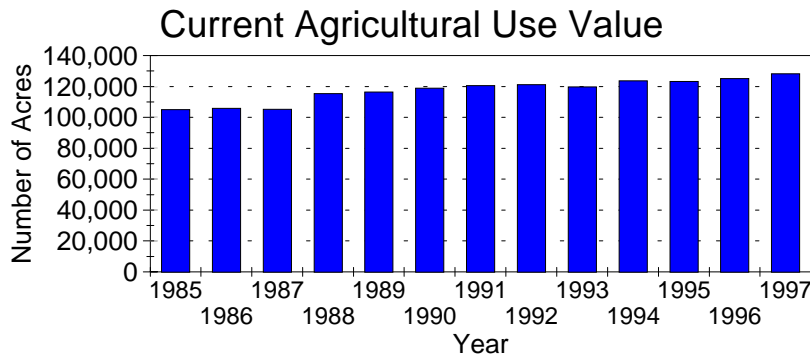
Land in Farms

Year	Thousands of Acres
1980	134
1981	132
1982	131
1983	128
1984	127
1985	126
1986	125
1987	120
1988	119
1989	120
1990	119
1991	118
1992	117
1993	115
1994	117
1995	117
1996	116
1997	116



Source: Ohio Agricultural Statistics, Ohio Crop Reporting Service

CAUV Enrollment

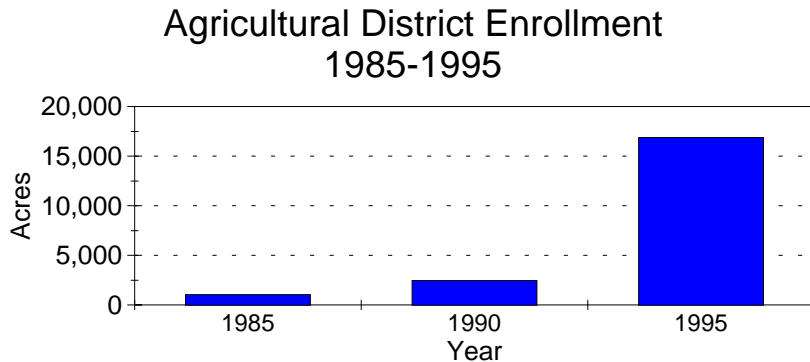


Year	Number of Acres
1985	104,956
1986	105,747
1987	105,306
1988	115,258
1989	116,365
1990	118,854
1991	120,432
1992	121,062
1993	119,609
1994	123,711
1995	123,196
1996	125,054
1997	128,189

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



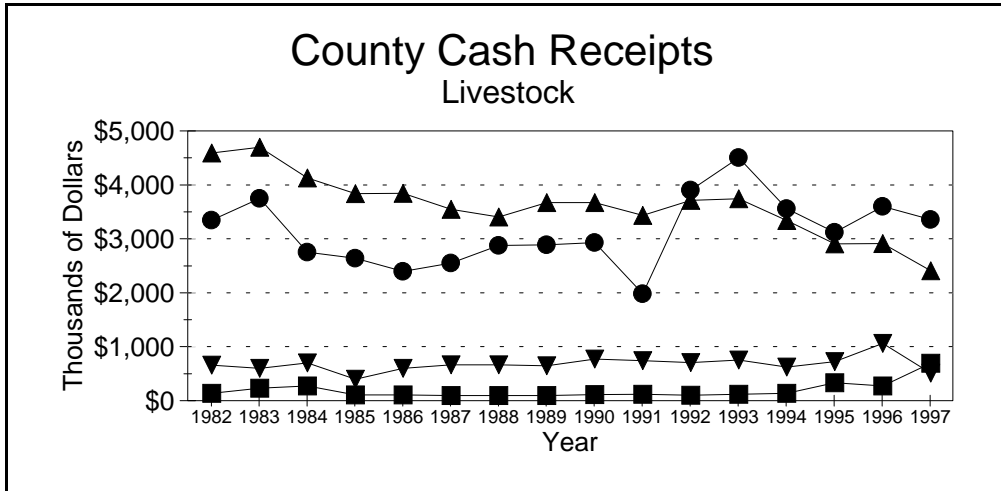
Year	Acres
1985	1,040
1990	2,449
1995	16,873

N/R=Not Reported  
U=Unusable Data

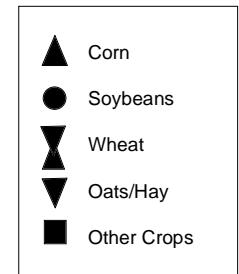
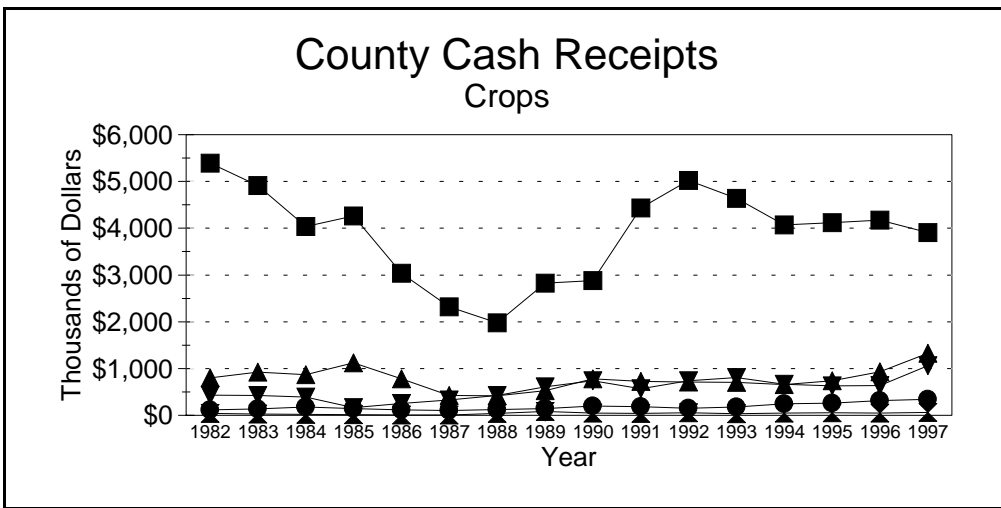
Agricultural districts provide protection to farmers from nuisance lawsuits and exemption from utility assessments associated with commercial and residential development. To enroll in this program, the landowner commits to keeping the land in agricultural production for five years. For agricultural district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

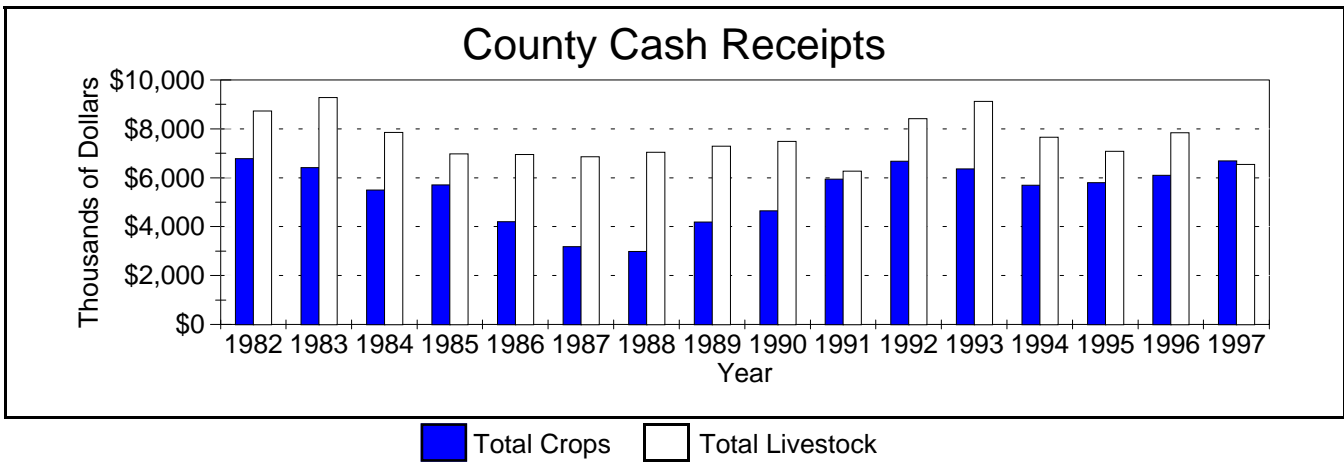
Cash Receipts



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	2,982	2,465	489	214	6,150
1974	2,891	1,420	532	177	5,020
1977	3,827	2,100	414	79	6,420
1979	4,070	3,050	340	65	7,525
1980	4,380	3,090	610	100	8,180
1981	4,330	2,610	760	75	7,775
1982	4,590	3,348	660	135	8,733
1983	4,696	3,750	601	230	9,277
1984	4,131	2,750	700	274	7,855
1985	3,840	2,638	400	104	6,982
1986	3,845	2,396	600	108	6,949
1987	3,548	2,552	667	92	6,859
1988	3,406	2,875	665	93	7,039
1989	3,670	2,890	644	93	7,297
1990	3,673	2,932	770	113	7,488
1991	3,436	1,979	740	118	6,273
1992	3,715	3,900	704	103	8,422
1993	3,744	4,502	752	120	9,118
1994	3,338	3,560	624	135	7,657
1995	2,908	3,117	724	331	7,080
1996	2,910	3,598	1,061	272	7,841
1997	2,407	3,358	510	694	6,543

Crops Cash Receipts  
In Thousands of Dollars

Year	Corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Oats/Hay	Other Crops	Total Crops
1973	27	51	47	213	1,855	2,193
1974	414	49	105	295	2,142	3,005
1977	406	38	30	318	3,198	3,990
1979	620	120	70	348	2,540	3,698
1980	759	173	74	282	2,568	3,856
1981	592	88	70	257	2,868	3,875
1982	799	117	38	433	5,392	6,779
1983	923	134	26	425	4,909	6,417
1984	869	177	20	389	4,037	5,492
1985	1,125	147	12	165	4,260	5,709
1986	783	119	7	252	3,036	4,197
1987	425	105	9	329	2,319	3,187
1988	418	123	42	423	1,979	2,985
1989	527	142	85	612	2,826	4,192
1990	777	195	48	738	2,883	4,641
1991	723	188	39	565	4,430	5,945
1992	709	151	58	741	5,019	6,678
1993	704	175	33	807	4,638	6,357
1994	660	249	49	664	4,068	5,690
1995	739	257	55	628	4,122	5,801
1996	930	315	50	634	4,170	6,099
1997	1,327	339	61	1,061	3,905	6,693

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	6,686	53	6,150	2,193	8,343
1974	6,480	51	5,020	3,005	8,025
1977	8,974	67	6,420	3,990	10,410
1979	11,003	77	7,525	3,698	11,223
1980	13,226	97	8,180	3,856	12,036
1981	13,090	95	7,775	3,875	11,650
1982	17,627	128	8,733	6,779	15,512
1983	18,039	133	9,277	6,417	15,694
1984	15,520	105	7,855	5,492	13,347
1985	14,873	101	6,982	5,709	12,691
1986	13,113	88	6,949	4,197	11,146
1987	12,402	80	6,859	3,187	10,046
1988	12,224	80	7,039	2,985	10,024
1989	11,988	96	7,297	4,192	11,489
1990	12,903	101	7,488	4,641	12,129
1991	13,576	102	6,273	5,945	12,218
1992	17,356	130	8,422	6,678	15,100
1993	18,206	135	9,118	6,357	15,475
1994	15,702	114	7,657	5,690	13,347
1995	15,335	110	7,080	5,801	12,881
1996	17,000	120	7,841	6,099	13,940
1997	15,947	114	6,543	6,693	13,236

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	5,500	92	509,000										15,800	2	36,000
1980	4,400	84	370,000										16,100	2	28,500
1981	4,600	91	419,000										16,300	2	28,300
1982	5,300	94	501,000										21,500	2	45,100
1983	5,000	85	427,000										21,100	2	36,200
1984	6,000	103	618,000										21,000	2	39,900
1985	5,500	103	566,900										20,600	2	47,200
1986	5,200	103	533,800										20,200	2	38,700
1987	3,400	79	268,700										19,200	2	39,100
1988	3,100	65	202,600										19,500	2	33,200
1989	3,500	126	439,600										19,700	3	54,300
1990	3,600	118	424,100										19,900	3	50,700
1991	3,500	108	378,700										19,600	2	40,300
1992	3,700	129	478,000										17,900	3	54,000
1993	3,500	107	375,600										21,000	3	59,300
1994	3,700	108	398,000										20,000	3	50,600
1995	3,100	110	340,600										18,900	3	52,900
1996	5,400	104	563,800	1,200	32	38,300							18,200	3	44,700
1997	6,100	113	690,300	1,300	39	50,200							18,900	3	50,600

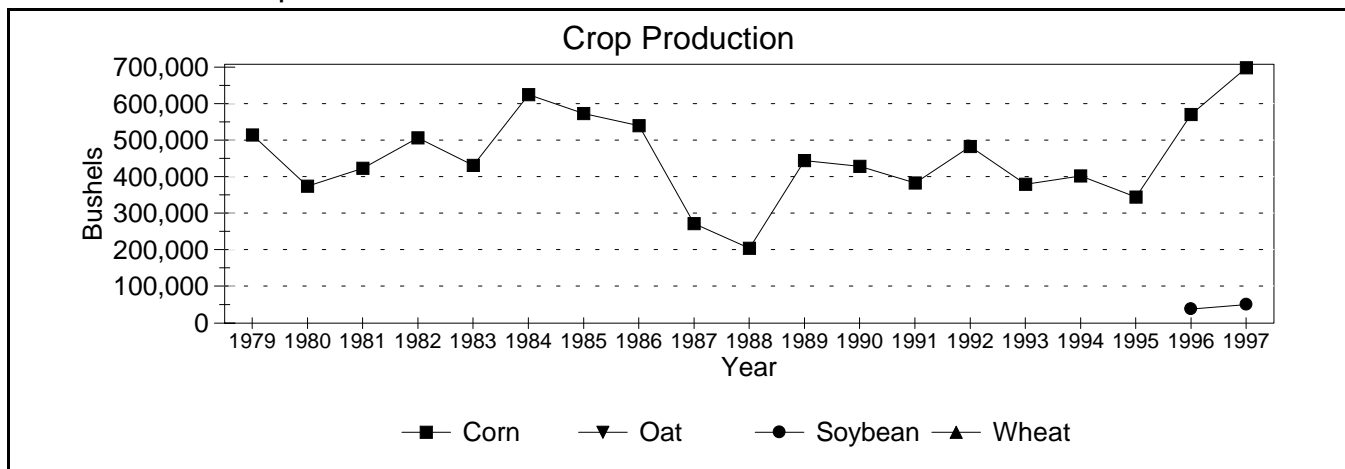
## Livestock Production\*

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	20,100	3,300	35	3,100			5,000	6,000
1980	21,000	3,200	32	4,800			6,000	5,000
1981	20,600	3,100	33	4,700				
1982	22,500	3,000	31	3,500				
1983	22,300	3,100	33	4,000				
1984	22,000	3,200	34	2,600				
1985	21,000	2,700	30	3,500				
1986	21,000	2,500	30	3,500				
1987	22,000	2,200	30	4,000				
1988	20,500	2,300	28	3,700				
1989	20,500	2,100	27	3,500				
1990	18,700	2,100	26	3,500				
1991	19,500	2,100	27	4,000				
1992	19,000	2,000	28	3,800				
1993	19,000	2,000	29	3,500				
1994	19,000	1,850	25	4,000				
1995	18,700	1,400	22	4,500				
1996	17,900	1,200	19	4,000				
1997	16,900	1,100	18	2,000				

## Farm Information

Year	Number of Farms	Average Size of Farm	Land in Farms (Thousands of Acres)
1979	930	133	124
1980	910	147	134
1981	890	148	132
1982	880	149	131
1983	870	147	128
1984	860	148	127
1985	870	145	126
1986	890	140	125
1987	940	128	120
1988	950	125	119
1989	960	125	120
1990	940	127	119
1991	900	131	118
1992	870	134	117
1993	860	134	115
1994	850	138	117
1995	840	139	117
1996	820	141	116
1997	830	140	116

\* Blank areas indicate unreported information.

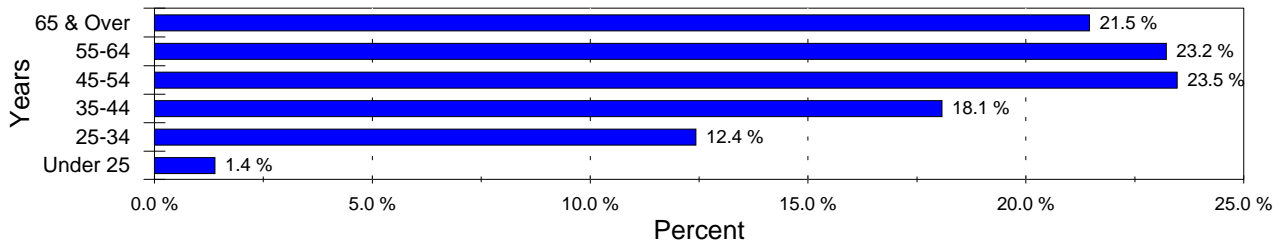


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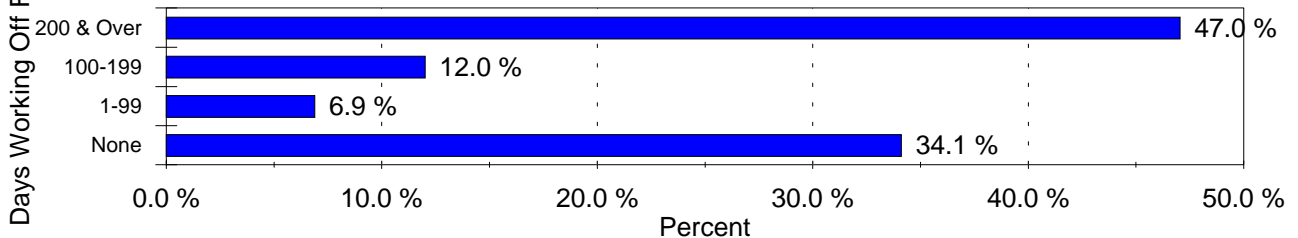
**Census of Agriculture  
1982, 1987, 1992**

Number of Farms			Land in Farms (Acres)			Average Size of Farm (Acres)			Value of Land & Buildings (Avg./Farm)					
992	885	797	126,515	116,735	109,820	128	132	138	\$90,107	\$88,805	\$117,192			
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					
\$749	\$652	\$870	\$17,156	\$19,240	\$26,858	71	65	64	210	173	136			
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					
497	454	398	192	170	181	19	20	15	3	3	3			
Total Cropland (Farms)			Total Cropland (Acres)			Harvested Cropland (Farms)			Harvested Cropland (Acres)					
961	845	759	56,191	46,851	51,453	922	788	700	24,895	22,384	25,260			
Irrigated Cropland (Farms)			Irrigated Cropland (Acres)			Market Value of Agri. Products Sold			Average per Farm (Dollars)					
8	11	7	23	109	8	\$12,619	\$9,381	\$13,763	\$12,721	\$10,600	\$17,269			
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					
\$5,025	\$2,340	\$5,635	\$7,594	\$7,040	\$8,128	306	414	212	252	166	190			
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		
178	155	156	156	86	132	46	22	50	31	19	28	23	23	29

**Farm Operator Age**



**Farm Operator Days Working Off Farm**



Source: 1992 Census of Agriculture