

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, Kentucky Agricultural Statistics Service

CRITTENDEN KENTUCKY

Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	9,884	82	120	2,505	3,076
Value of crops including nursery	4,971	86	120	2,125	3,070
Value of livestock and poultry	4,913	71	120	2,369	3,069
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	4,211	45	120	1,590	3,063
Soybeans	2,199	31	98	958	2,136
Corn for grain	1,708	28	116	1,161	2,582
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	541	44	119	1,533	3,043
Dairy products	338	74	107	1,917	2,563
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	10,806	46	120	1,544	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	2,281	51	116	1,505	2,976
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	(D)	24	46	964	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	552	31	88	1,055	2,203
Rabbits and their pelts sold	206	6	50	588	1,593
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	19,194	49	120	1,575	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	1,810	43	118	1,389	3,005
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	706	30	119	1,410	3,002
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	615	14	101	474	2,549
Horse and pony inventory	581	51	119	1,395	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	20,673	39	120	1,002	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	10,719	31	98	978	2,144
Corn for grain-acres	7,955	31	118	1,153	2,691
Wheat-acres	952	37	97	1,678	2,612
Popcorn-acres	460	13	22	157	534

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	427	325	31
\$10,000 or more	172	184	-7
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	7,622	7,034	8
Average per farmdollars..	12,725	13,819	-8
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	2,276	1,702	34
Average per farmdollars..	3,799	3,345	14
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	535	455	18
Partnership or corporation	62	52	19
Other	2	2	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	223	215	4
Other	376	294	28
Operators by sex:			
Male	542	468	16
Female	57	41	39
Operators by race:			
White	597	509	17
Black and other races	2	-	
Average age of operator	54.6	53.5	2

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.